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FLOOD CONDITIONS IN KANSAS IMPROVED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OTTAWA (Kan.) May 31.—Flood conditions in this vicinity are fast improving, the water today receding rapidly. Communication with North Ottawa, where several hundred persons were driven from their homes, was opened today with boats, and provisions were taken to the unfortunates. Six men marooned in the Santa Fé depot, who were without food since Sunday, were brought away today. Many others were removed from the flood district, some of whom had been forced to upper stories or to their housetops.

The needy are all being cared for by the city authorities, with the aid of local churches and lodges. The country west of Ottawa for several miles has been swept clean, crops having been wiped out and much stock drowned. All bridges here have remained intact, but train service is still at a standstill, the tracks for miles being under water.

METHODISTS MAROONED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY, May 31.—The three through trains marooned near Quenemo, Kan., for twelve hours yesterday on account of the flood, which had washed out portions of the Santa Fé and Missouri Pacific tracks, reached here today. A majority of the passengers were eastbound, many of them coming from the Methodist General Conference at Los Angeles and others from El Paso.

All trains carried dining cars and there was no suffering.

HAS SUFFERED BUT LITTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) May 31.—The Kaw River is slowly falling at this point. Aside from the shutting off of the gas and street-car traffic, North Topeka has suffered little from the present flood.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 73 deg.; minimum, 57 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity light; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 61 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 59 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; fresh southeast winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; light southerly winds, changing to brisk northwest.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 6.]

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THE GREAT WAR.

CONTINUOUS FIGHTING BEYOND KINCHOW.

Sharp Action East of Simatsi Lasts Three Days and Russians Lose.

Japanese Suffer Severely in a Conflict on the Railway Between Vfangoy and Vfandien — Infantry Reserves Compel Czar's Troops to Retreat — Battle Outside Port Arthur—Reported Sinking of War Vessels.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LIAO YANG, May 31, 5:20 p.m.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Continuous fighting has taken place northeast of Feng Wang Cheng and the railway above Kinchow since May 27. A sharp action has taken place eastward of Simatsi, thirty-five miles north of Feng Wang Cheng, lasting from the morning of May 27 until daylight May 30. Both sides suffered severely. Detailed figures are lacking. The engagement resulted in the Russians retiring on Simatsi, followed cautiously by Japanese detachments.

Three camps of Japanese are reported to have ambushed a patrol of the Neerinsky Regiment near Hun Sian, wounding three Cossacks. A fourth Cossack had his horse killed under him. Fearing capture, he buried his rifle. He was captured, but subsequently escaped, dug up his rifle and rejoined his regiment.

Severe fighting is reported along the railway between the stations Vfangoy and Vfandien. The Japanese suffered heavily, and would have been annihilated had not the infantry reserves come up and forced the Russians to retire into Vfangoy.

RUSSIANS' DEFEAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 1.—[By Atlantic Cable]. A special dispatch from Rome says that a telegram has been received there from Tokio, reporting that Gen. Kuroki has completely defeated Gen. Kouropatkin's forces near Sumentse (probably Saimatsza or Simatsi.)

All the Russian positions east of Haicheng have been abandoned, according to the telegram; several guns have been taken, and whole squadrons of Cossacks captured.

[It is possible the news received in Rome refers to the fighting reported in the Associated Press dispatches from Liao Yang and St. Petersburg. These did not indicate a general engagement, but showed that a series of sharp engagements had taken place east of Simatsi, lasting from the morning of May 27 until daylight May 30, which resulted in severe losses on both sides and the retirement of the Russians upon Simatsi. The latter place is 35 miles north of Feng Wang Cheng.—Associated Press.]

ALLEGED SINKING OF VESSELS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MUKDEN, May 31.—The Japanese, on the night of May 28, made another attempt to block Port Arthur by sinking merchant vessels in the harbor entrance. The attempt was discovered through the operations of a searchlight, and one Japanese gunboat and two torpedo-boat destroyers were sunk. The merchantmen then retired.

DESTROYED POSSIBLY THE BOBR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, May 31, 8 p.m.—The Russians destroyed the gunboat used at Tallenwan against the Japanese left during the battle of Nanshan Hill. The name of the gunboat is not known, but it was possibly the Bobr.

RECONNAISSANCE BY WATER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, May 31, Noon—Four gunboats, two destroyers and two torpedo boats, sent to Port Arthur, early Monday morning by Vice-Admiral Togo, effected a careful reconnaissance, facing a heavy fire from the land batteries. They discovered a new Russian searchlight station and one or two new forts on the Liao Tien-Shan Promontory. No. 3 gunboat was struck by a shell, which killed one petty officer, injured three men and damaged one of her guns. The other boats escaped without any damage.

FIRST BRIGADE OF RUSSIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TIEN-TSIN, May 31.—It is reported here that the First Brigade of the First Russian Division, consisting of the First, Second, Third and Fourth Siberian Regiments, left Tashichao (a point on the railroad about twenty miles south of Newchwang) for Kinchow yesterday. The purpose of this movement is not known, but it is believed that the troops are moving to the relief of Port Arthur. They are to be followed by an entire division.

FIGHTING AT AI YANG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—The following official dispatch has been received by the General Staff:

"From May 29 to May 30 all has been quiet in the neighborhood of Feng Wang Chang. At 10:30 p. m., May 27, a force of Japanese infantry from Kuan Dian Sian commenced a frontier flank attack upon the position occupied by our Cossacks near Shaoago, fifteen versts northwest of Kuan Dian Sian. The Japanese under the cover of darkness, opened a running, desultory fire, using field searchlights. The Cossacks retired on foot to Chanlin Pass, two versts west of Shaoago, and subsequently on Ai Yang Pien Men, sixteen versts west of Chanlin Pass.

"The firing ceased at 2 a.m., May 28, when the Japanese ceased the pursuit at the entrance of Chanlin Pass, the same day the first section of a Japanese detachment approached Ai Yang Pien Men, but afterwards retired to the summit of a small and not of the town. At 10 a. m. they formed up in order to meet notes were force consisting of two battalions with one of

At 11 a.m., a battery of artillery took up a position and opened fire with shrapnel. While crossing the valley, the Japanese infantry, advancing in close formation, suffered heavily. At 11:20, the Cossacks, observing that the Japanese were turning their right flank, retired in good order on Saimatsza. The fire of the rear guard ceased at 2 p.m. We lost two officers and seven Cossacks.

"On May 30, the Japanese advanced toward Saimatsza. Their movements were watched by Cossacks. When this telegram was dispatched the Japanese had not arrived at Saimatsza. Up to May 29, the Japanese had not occupied Siu Yen. All is quiet on the coast at Newchwang and Seniu Chen.

"Shortly before noon, May 30, our cavalry opened fire near the railroad station at Hagenfuchu against an advancing Japanese force, consisting of eight companies of troops and four machine guns. During the ensuing battle, our mounted men brilliantly attacked a Japanese squadron on the enemy's left flank and almost completely annihilated it. The sotnias then attacked the infantry, but retired under the fire of the machine guns. The advance of the Japanese infantry in order to turn our left flank was stopped by the fire of our battery, which inflicted considerable loss on the enemy. Our losses have not yet been definitely ascertained, but so far as known, one officer and twenty men were wounded and twenty-five horses lost."

SOME OF THE LOSSES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31, 1:30 a.m.—The War Office has received a detailed report of the fight at Ai Yang Pien Men, about sixty miles northeast of Feng Wang Cheng, Saturday night, in which two battalions of Japanese infantry and one squadron of Japanese cavalry, numbering about twenty-two hundred men, attacked five squadrons of Cossacks. The Russian losses were seven Cossacks killed, and one officer wounded and nine horses killed. The Cossacks were encamped twelve miles northwest of Kuan Dian Sian, which was held by several Japanese battalions, two of which and one squadron of cavalry left, May 28, for Saimatsza. This force encountered the Cossack advance at 10:30 o'clock the same night, and attacked the Cossacks, who retired in good order, keeping up a running fight along the road to Saimatsza.

There was a great deal of firing on both sides, but, like most fighting in the dark, it was very ineffective, as shown by the [illegible] of the Russian losses. [illegible] believed that the Japanese [illegible] greater casualties, [illegible] according to one account, the majority of the Japanese squadron was wiped out.

After reaching Saimatsza, May 29, the Japanese returned to Kuan Dian Sian, apparently not liking the vicinity of the Cossacks, and in view of the possibility of Gen. Rennenkampff bringing up reinforcements. The War Office attributes little importance to this engagement, which was heralded from Tokio as a Japanese victory.

GOSSIP ABOUT LAMSDORFF.

PROSPECTS OF RETIREMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Gossip concerning Count Lamsdorff's early retirement from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is renewed. The report in the present instance seems based not so much on political grounds, as upon manifestations of personal hostility outside ministerial circles. The fact that Count Lamsdorff notified foreign diplomats today that he would not receive on his regular reception day, tomorrow, is being used to add color to the reports of his retirement, although this may only be a coincidence of little significance. Such notifications have not been uncommon during the past year.

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive dispatch.] At the St. Denis, J. R. Compton and wife; Wellington, E. W. Fox, P. G. Winnett; Manhattan, T. W. Phillips and wife, M. Stimson and wife; Manhattan, Miss M. Storr, of Santa Barbara; Barthoidi, T. M. Dimmick of Pasadena.

POLITICAL.

DEADLOCK STILL ON.

But Yates's Men Expect Loss.

Lowden Will Make Efforts to Swell His Vote so as to Gain Cook County.

Three Ballots Taken in the Convention Yesterday Without Change.

Parker's Friends Look to Georgia — La Follette Case Presented.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) May 31.—At a late hour tonight, there is no substantial prospect that the Gubernatorial deadlock will end tomorrow. It is reported that Lowden will make another attempt tomorrow to break the Yates forces. It is said that he expects to get 100 Yates votes, 30 from Hamlin, 50 from Sherman and enough scattering votes to swell his total to 600, hoping that this will be sufficient to loosen up Deneen delegates in Cook county to nominate Lowden.

The Yates managers admit that at some stage of the balloting, Kane, Will and Dekalb counties may go to Lowden, as they did when a stampede was attempted two weeks ago; but this would mean only 63 votes, and that is near the limit of the number the Yates people will concede as likely to go to Lowden from their camp.

There seems small probability that either Hamlin or Sherman will now shift their votes until it appears reasonably certain that by so doing they will be able to break the deadlock. All of the candidates held their forces together today, and it appears that tomorrow's ballots will show no material change. So far as known, there are no conferences in progress tonight of an important nature.

NO NOMINATION, NO SMOKING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) May 31.—The Republican State Convention, after a session lasting an hour and a half, and after taking three ballots for Governor, adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, without having broken the deadlock.

The convention, after eleven days of recess, reconvened at 2:12 this afternoon. There was a manifest falling off of enthusiasm. Gov. Yates was cheered as he entered a few minutes before the convention was called to order, but the entry of the other candidate was unobserved. Chairman Cannon opened the proceedings by having read the rule of the House of Representatives which, among other things, prohibits smoking "upon the floor of the House."

"Gentlemen," said Chairman Cannon, "we have adopted that among other rules. The chair cannot enforce that rule without the cooperation of the delegates, and the chair desires to know what the will of the convention is."

He then put to question the "no smoking" rule. The affirmative vote was practically unanimous, and the chairman then gave peremptory instructions to the assistant sergeants-at-arms and the police to prevent smoking in the

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LA FOLLETTE CASE PRESENTED.

SAVING STATE TO PARTY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A political conference of great importance to the party took place at the White House this morning, when W. D. Connor, chairman of the La Follette State Central Committee of Wisconsin, W. L. Houser, Secretary of the State of Wisconsin; Irvine L. Penroot, Speaker of the Assembly; H. P. Myrick, editor of the Milwaukee Free Press, and C. C. Gittings called upon the President to present to him the La Follette side of the controversy in Wisconsin. The Wisconsin delegation also had today a brief conference with Postmaster-General Payne.

While the results of this important conference necessarily have been kept secret, it can be stated that an understanding will be arrived at between the two factions in Wisconsin that will go as far as possible toward minimizing the danger to the national ticket in that State, and leave the fight between the La Follette faction and the Stalwarts, led by Senator Spooner, to be fought out entirely on the State ticket. In only a few districts of the State will there be danger to candidates for the State Legislature, so that the talk of electing a Democratic Legislature and sending a Democrat to the United States Senate to Succeed Senator Quarles is not fully warranted by the present situation.

The President and Postmaster-General Payne are concerning themselves only with the national phases of the contest in the State, and it is believed they will succeed in diverting the national contest from the fight for control within the State. While ordinarily that would be impossible, it may become possible in this case by the willingness of both factions to make whatever concessions the national managers may consider necessary to insure the success of the national ticket.

Today's conference is the first step that the La Follette faction has taken to come to an understanding with the national managers of the party. They did not come to Washington, so they say, with any threat against the national ticket, in case they do not receive full recognition.

WILL NOT SUPPORT HEARST.

"THE CHRONICLE'S" ATTITUDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Chronicle, replying editorially to the inquiry: "If William R. Hearst shall receive the Democratic nomination for President will you advocate his election?" says:

"The Chronicle will not advocate the election of the person so named under any circumstances. On the contrary, if he should be the candidate of the Democrats, it would feel that its highest duty would be to do everything within its power to make his defeat impressive and exemplary. The people of the United States know a good deal of William R. Hearst's unfitness for political office already. They will know more, if he ever becomes a candidate."

BAD DEFEAT IN MICHIGAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DETROIT (Mich.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Hearst boomers were badly defeated in the State Central Committee today when Lawton Themans was selected temporary chairman for tomorrow's convention. Themans defeated Frank L. Fowler, the Hearst candidate, 16 to 4, and the Campau-Maybury crowd say the result is a fair gauge of the result in the convention.

MUST SERVE WITHOUT PAY.

WILLIAM E. STONE'S RULE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—William E. Stone, sergeant-at-arms at the coming Republican National Convention, has devised a system which he believes will be a great improvement over former years. He is determined to avoid the friction his predecessors had to contend with by reason of misunderstandings over appointment of employés. He also has announced that a limited number of assistant doorkeepers are the only attachés who will receive pay for their services.

Only such persons as are recommended by members of the National Committee will be appointed to any position in connection with the convention.

[illegible] has mailed a letter to the committee fully explaining his plans [illegible] specifically that the assistant sergeants-at-arms and attendants [illegible] appointment [illegible] State tickets [illegible] now."

KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS DIFFER.

BUT DRAW NO GUNS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LEXINGTON (Ky.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] During a conference here today between State politicians who are attempting to dethrone Gov. Beckham as head of the State political machine, a dispute arose between Allie W. Young, chairman of the State Central and State Executive committees, and United States Senator Blackburn as for whom the delegates to the national convention at St. Louis should be instructed.

Chairman Young said he would insist upon instructions for Hearst, while Senator Blackburn declared that if this were insisted upon he would withdraw his support from Kehoe, the anti-administration candidate for chairman of the State Committee. He wanted the delegates left uninstructed.

United States Senator McCreary wished instructions for Judge Parker.

FOLK DECLINES THE HONOR.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMANSHIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—At a conference tonight between Norman E. Mack of New York, Democratic national committeeman, and Joseph W. Folk, relative to the latter's name being considered in connection with the temporary chairmanship of the National Democratic Convention, Folk declined to sanction the use of his name. The subcommittee of the national committee which met here a few days ago considered three names for this honor—Folk, John Sharp Williams of Mississippi and Mayor David C. Rose of Milwaukee.

"In our conversation today," said Mack, "the matter was mentioned, and Mr. Folk said that he did not wish to be considered in connection with the temporary chairmanship, because his first obligation was to the people of Missouri, and he felt that acceptance of the chairmanship might be misinterpreted under the circumstances. He deprecated all talk connecting his name with the Presidential nomination."

MISSOURI BUBBLE BURSTS.

HEARST SETS DELEGATES FREE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Missouri movement looking to the advancement of William R. Hearst as a candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination is a thing of the past. Hearst has dismissed a number of spellbinders who have been touring the interior of the State, and to one of them, L. M. Stern, Andrew M. Lawrence of Chicago writes as follows: "Hearst now feels that the delegates from Missouri should be permitted to vote for the man they regard as the best candidate."

This letter followed a telegram from Lawrence to the effect that no further expenses would be incurred by Hearst in Missouri after May 14. Hearst headquarters in the Pozzoni building still are open, but there is nothing doing. There has been no word from Lawrence in ten days, and the supply of literature is exhausted.

GOV. ODELL IN PARIS.

REFUSES TO TALK POLITICS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, May 31.—Gov. Odell of New York arrived [illegible] ternoon and went to the Hotel Ritz. [illegible] owing to the lateness of his arrival he did not call at the United States Embassy or elsewhere. Gov. Odell's coming is attracting much interest because of the published report that one of the purposes of his visit is to induce Ambassador Porter to accept the nomination for Governor of New York.

When the Associated Press correspondent asked Gov. Odell about the report, he replied that he had come abroad for a short rest, intending to remain a week and then return to New York in time to attend the Republican convention, and he would see Ambassador Porter tomorrow. As they were both from New York and greatly interested in New York affairs, it would be natural that they should discuss conditions there. Beyond this, the Governor did not desire to make a statement.

UNINSTRUCTED DELEGATES.

PARKER LEADS THE BUNCH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World's poll of uninstructed delegates to the national Democratic convention shows the following result: Total number of uninstructed delegates polled 56; for Parker 31; for Hearst 7; for Cleveland 2; for Olney 1; for Kilbourne 1; for Miles 1; for Harris 1; for Francis 1; for Gray 1; undecided 10.

Connecticut Socialists.

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) May 31.—State conventions have been held by the Socialist-Labor party and the Socialist party in Connecticut, candidates for Presidential electors were chosen, and State tickets [illegible] The Socialist [illegible] Sweetland while the So- [illegible] Timothy [illegible] same of-

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WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The Daily Mail's correspondent at Newchwang says:

"Some Chinese fugitives from Port Arthur arrived here, and describe the situation of the inhabitants there as desperate. Famine prices exist. The cost of provisions increases weekly. Many persons are reduced to eating Chinese food, and even that is dear. Millet flour costs $6 a bag.

"Whole streets and several public buildings have been wrecked by Japanese shell fire. The hospitals are packed with sick and wounded."

The Tokio correspondent of the Chronicle telegraphs: "Russian strategy has undergone another change. Ying Kow is to be again fortified. Four guns have been brought from Newchwang, the garrison increased and the harbor mined."

REFUGEES FROM DALNY.

WEI HAI WEI, June 1.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Two Russian refugees from Dalny have arrived here. They came in a small yacht, and were four days in making the journey. They reported that Edward Soper, engineer of the construction staff at Dalny, started with them, but was washed overboard in a gale and drowned.

CONTROL OF BALTIC FORCES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—By an imperial ukase just issued, the control of the ports of Reval, Sveaborg and Libau and all the naval forces of the Baltic has been transferred to the commandant of the port of Kronstadt, with the title of commander-in-chief of the fleet and ports and of the defense of the Baltic Sea. The object of the consolidation of the comands is to insure uniformity in the measures adopted in the defense of the coasts of the Baltic during the existing state of war.

RUSSIA SETTLES OLD CLAIM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—The long standing differences between Great Britain and Russia, arising from the seizure by the latter of Canadian sealers in the Bering Sea in 1892, have been settled, Russia agreeing to pay $44,701 indemnity to the Carmelite and the Vancouver Belle, two out of six vessels seized. The claim amounted to $93,497.

NO 30,000 MEN SENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—The statement emanating from Paris that Gen. Kouropatkin was sending 30,000 troops to the southward in an attempt to save Port Arthur from the Japanese, is declared here to be untrue.

DON'T AGREE WITH JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—The Russian press is sparing of its comment on the Kinchow affair, but there is evident disinclination to accept the Japanese official reports in their entirety. The general tone of the papers indicates the belief that in the event of the fall of Port Arthur, it would not decide the war. Much praise is given for the splendid defense of Nanshan made by the Russians against superior numbers.

FOREIGN MEDIATION SCORNED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31, 6 p.m.—The renewed intimation of foreign mediation in the war is considered in government circles to be entirely out of place and impertinent, in view of Russia's specific declaration in diplomatic circles that mediation was regarded as being beyond the range of possibility at the present time. Any move in that direction can be taken only after a great change in the military situation—when Russian military prestige is restored—both because of its effect on Europe and on her future in the Far East.

TRUSTING TO KOUROPATKIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31, 6 p.m.—There is considerable talk in unofficial circles regarding the strength of the Japanese force which engaged the Cossacks at Ai Yang Pien Men. It is evident that the Japanese have a large body of troops northeast of Feng Wang Cheng, which, it is suggested, will advance when Gen. Kuroki deems the moment opportune to effect a turning movement on Mukden. Whatever information the War Office has on this point is naturally kept secret. No alarm is displayed, the understanding being that Gen. Kouropatkin has the situation well in hand.

RUSSIAN ART EXHIBIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31.—A private exhibit for the Russian art section at the St. Louis Exposition, consisting of 800 paintings and other art works which is now on board a specially chartered steamer, will sail in a few days.

MOVING OUT OF HARBIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HARBIN, May 31.—Many women and children and male civilians are beginning to go west.

KOREA GRANTS CONCESSIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL (Korea) May 31, 11 a.m.—After a long period of quibbling, the Korean Cabinet has granted the Japanese government fishing rights off the west-coast provinces of Korea.

ADVISER FOR KOREA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, May 31, 8:30 p.m.—It is understood here that M. Kato, at one time Minister for Foreign Affairs in the Japanese Cabinet, will come shortly to this country to act as adviser to the government of Korea.

The activity of Cossacks in the vicinity of Ham Hueng, on the east coast of Korea, has resulted in driving the telegraph operators there from their posts, and telegraphic communication with Ham Hueng was broken today.

SEQUEL TO THE GREEN SHOOTING.

AGED MULTI-MILLIONAIRE SUES NEGRESS OF ILL REPUTE.

John R. Platt, Who Much Resembled "Father of Greater New York," in Papers Filed Tells How He Gave Hannah Elias Hundreds of Thousands in Hush Money.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John R. Platt, multi-millionaire, past eighty, today filed papers in a suit to recover $685,000 from Mrs. Hannah Elias, a negress of ill repute. Platt alleges that the woman in 1896 posed as a Spanish widow and inveigled him by pretenses of love and affection into assuming intimate relation with her. Once in her power, Platt alleges that the woman threw off all pretenses and for seven years bled him out of hundreds of thousands of dollars, terrorizing the old man with threats of exposure and family disgrace.

Platt's family is one of the best known in very exclusive circles of New York. Rather than have the facts of his relations with a negress known to them, the old man deeded her many valuable pieces of property. The woman was aided, Platt alleges, by a Japanese man servant in her employ.

Platt alleges that in 1902 the woman filed a false certificate of birth of a white child, giving its name as John Platt. He alleges that although he is 82 years old, the woman made him believe the child was his, and that each year she secured from him $156,499. Platt alleges that he has reason to believe that the father of the child is Kato, the Japanese servant.

Platt sues to have the court decide that Hannah Elias holds property in trust for him. He asks for judgment for principal and interest from date of his relations with the woman. Many prominent banks in which the negress has deposited large sums are made co-defendants.

The suit has created a profound sensation. Mrs. Elias is the woman with whom the name of Andrew H. Green was disgracefully associated when Green was shot down in cold blood some months ago, by Cornelius Williams, the woman's former husband. The negro was sent to an insane asylum. Green, who was known as the "father of Greater New York," was distinguished as a philanthropist, and as the founder of Central Park. Prominently, Andrew H. Green was New York's first citizen.

When Dist.-Atty. Jerome failed to bring the negro to trial, it was openly talked that the reason was that he desired to spare the community the terrific moral shock likely to follow such a course. Green's slayer openly accused the dead man of having come between him and his wife. Green lived in the mansion next door to the negress on aristocratic Central Park West. He greatly resembled Platt.

The suit commenced today vindicates in every way the name of a man against whose record there was never a breath of suspicion until foully shot down in front of his own home by a worthless negro, who had been led to believe Green had robbed him of his wife.

FURTHER ALLEGATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—According to the papers filed, Mrs. Elias Q. Husband was a negro and her husband threatened to do the plaintiff bodily harm and expose him. The plaintiff states that he paid Mrs. Elias $680,000 at different times between the years 1896 and 1902. It is further alleged that Mrs. Elias told the plaintiff that she could not obtain a divorce unless her husband received $6000, and that as a result of threats made by her he paid the sum of money and she obtained the divorce.

This amount, he alleges, never was paid to the husband, and during the year 1897 he was coerced into paying the husband, who in the meantime had been divorced, the sum of $16,000 not to press a threatened suit.

Platt demands an accounting of all the moneys which he alleges Mrs. Elias has wrongfully obtained; that the real estate and bank accounts be impressed; that the defendants be restrained from disposing of the property and a receiver be appointed to collect the rent of the property; and that any other relief that the court may decree proper may be afforded.

There are thirty-four trust companies, twenty-six savings banks and sixty-nine national banks that are made codefendants with Mrs. Elias.

The action against the banks is nominal and is taken to prevent them paying any money to Mrs. Elias.

GROVER WON'T ACCEPT.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 31.—Grover Cleveland has written to the American Fourth of July Committee thanking them for the invitation to address his fellow-countrymen in Mexico on the American national holiday, but saying that his engagements preclude his acceptance of the invitation.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

NO ANSWER FROM LAWYER.

Sale Fell Through and so He Drank to Die.

Los Angeles Attorney's Silence Sickens Seaman.

Mrs. Hearst Makes a Further Cut in Charities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. D. J. Wheeler, the seafaring man who drank a mixture of whisky and opium Saturday night and was taken to Wayside Mission Hospital, died this morning at 9 o'clock. Despondency over trying financial circumstances is said to be the cause of the suicide.

Wheeler, together with another man, owned property in Los Angeles valued at about $35,000. Ten months ago Wheeler was offered $16,800 for his share of the property by a lawyer in Los Angeles. Wheeler accepted the offer and sent a signed deed to the lawyer. Not getting any reply nor receiving any money, Wheeler wrote, inquiring about the matter. He received no reply. Since then he has written frequently, but no reply has come. This matter, and the fact that he was out of employment, preyed upon his mind.

Capt. Wheeler was born in New York about seventy-five years ago. He has sailed into almost every port in the world. Thirty years ago he sailed the first boat into the port of San Pedro, Cal. This was the schooner Alice. Since then he had commanded many steam and sailing vessels up and down the Pacific Coast. Until last spring, for several years he was in the employ of the N. A. T. and T. Company. Since that time he had been employed by several towing companies between here and San Francisco. He leaves a daughter in Manila; also a daughter in Hongkong.

MRS. HEARST CUTS AGAIN.

COLLEGE SETTLEMENT HIT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCRO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Phoebe Hearst has made another heavy cut in her University of California charities. She has now discontinued the support of the college settlement at West Berkeley. The college settlement was established five years ago by Mrs. Hearst and was among the first of her university charities. She has fostered it generously, and now its maintenance costs nearly $5000 a year.

Four resident workers lived at the club, and over three hundred children of West Berkeley were provided with instruction and recreation. The work was on the general plan followed by university settlements in England and America, and has proved a great help in developing children taught there. An extensive gymnasium was connected with the settlement. Recently the adjoining lot was purchased, on which Mrs. Hearst planned to erect a larger clubhouse.

TEN THOUSAND FOR THROOP.

MRS. REED'S REMEMBRANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By the terms of the will of Mrs. S. G. Reed, who left property valued at $1,000,000, Throop Polytechnic Institute of Pasadena, Cal., has been bequeathed the sum of $10,000. This money is given to the California school without reservation, to be spent as may seem best. Before his death, several years ago, Mr. Reed was a resident of Pasadena, and the family had many friends there.

WANT TO BE BANKRUPTS.

THREE PETITIONS FILED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Steve A. Hilbert, otherwise known as Steve A. Spencer, of Sacramento, has petitioned to be declared a bankrupt by the United States Circuit Court, claiming inability to meet debts of $589, with assets of $150.

A petition to be declared a bankrupt has been filed by L. S. Geitner, a contractor of Sacramento. His debts amount to $4925, and he swears to assets of $1811.

C. L. Wheeler, a merchant of Diamond Springs, Eldorado county, has also entered a petition of bankruptcy. His liabilities are $1284; assets, $444.

SMITH'S GAS WORKS.

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCRO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] F. A. Smith of Los Angeles, who some time ago, was arrested for alleged violation of the criminal ordinance of the county of Los Angeles, making it a misdemeanor to erect or maintain gas works within the boundary fixed in the ordinance, and who sought relief in the Supreme Court, through a habeas corpus, was today discharged from custody.

The Supreme Court held that the ordinance was void, being unreasonable and oppressive and that the proceedings against the petitioner, founded on the ordinance, are likewise void.

BROUSE MAY GO FREE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—E. H. Brouse, who was arrested for the same offense, asked the court for a writ of habeas corpus. The petition was granted and made returnable before the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, June 7. In view of the decision in the Smith case, it is probable that Brouse will go free.

BOTH DEEMED TOO HIGH.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT FIGURES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, May 31.—The auditing board of the Commissioner of Public Works today referred to Gov. Pardee the plans for river improvement submitted by Commissioner Frank D. Ryan and State Engineer Randle.

Under the provisions of the bill, all plans are to be approved by the Governor before they can be carried out. These plans embrace the dredging of the lower Sacramento and a cut-off at Bakers Point, near Tolls Landing, estimated at $105,000; placing a weir at the Finnigan cut on the San Joaquin, $12,000; a weir at Butte Slough on the Upper Sacramento, $12,000; snagging the Mokelumne, $10,000; closing crevasses at Grays Bend, $32,500.

The board rejected the bid of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company for improving the lower river and took that of the North American Dredging Company under advisement, and it, with other plans, was referred to the Governor. The bid of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company figured 14.8 cents a cubic yard and that of the North American Company 9.57 cents. Both are deemed very high.

NEGROES HOLD UP CASHIER.

TWO THOUSAND HANDED OVER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND, May 31.—A bold robbery was committed shortly after noon today by two negroes, who entered the office of the Pullman Company at the Union depot just as the cashier, W. H. Aurelius, was making up his cash. Drawing revolvers, the negroes demanded what cash was in sight.

Aurelius handed over about $2,500. The negroes backed out of the office door with their guns still levelled on the cashier, and then hastily disappeared. Aurelius's description of the negroes is imperfect.

The boldness exhibited by the robbers and the thoroughness with which they did their work, together with the nicety with which everything was planned, indicate that they were old hands at the game.

The theory that they were white men disguised as negroes is got believed, as the features, as nearly as Aurelius can remember, embraced all the characteristics of the negro.

STATE RIVER CAMPAIGN.

BROAD GENERAL PLAN FAVORED

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The Executive Committee appointed by the General Committee of the State River Convention met tonight and decided to carry on a big campaign to get the assistance and cooperation of all interested in river improvement. The first step will be to increase membership in the River Improvement and Drainage Association of California, which association was formed by the members of the recent convention. The committee decided to work on one general comprehensive plan, which should be for the ultimate good of the entire region which it is desired to improve. The sentiment was expressed that a broad general plan, in harmony with all interests, should be adopted before the work was undertaken, and that in all local work affecting local interests, the needs of residents of contingent localities should be consulted.

The plan thus adopted, while broad, will be sufficiently elastic to meet the special necessities of every district affected. The engineers who will decide upon the work have not yet been chosen. They will be non-resident experts of recognized standing, whose opinion will be formed after a thorough study of the needs of the districts and consultations with the members of the association. These engineers will be selected with the view of undertaking the work from an absolutely non-partisan standpoint. It will be their duty to submit the plans in a comprehensive manner so that they can be acted upon by the next legislature.

Those who are conversant with the situation say that there will be no difficulty in securing adequate State and Federal aid.

CHARGES AGAINST POLICE.

TROUBLE IN SACRAMENTO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, May 31.—Charges were preferred tonight before the Board of City Trustees against Chief of Police Coffey, Sergeants Ash and Higgins, Detective Douglas and Policemen Butler and Kripp for alleged incompetence and malfeasance in office, for arresting in the night time twenty-seven women of the under world who were housed in the Bloomenberg "concentration camp" without a warrant. The accused officers are cited to appear before the board Thursday night and show cause why they should not be removed from office.

Mayor Hasset recently issued an order that all disreputable resorts in Sacramento should be closed and the police were carrying out this order.

TO IMPROVE THE LINE.

STOCKTON STREET RAILWAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, May 31.—The City Council tonight summoned Superintendent Webster of the city street railroad to show cause why some of the streets on which the company has a right of way are neglected by the company. Webster assured the authorities that his company is planning to expend a quarter of a million dollars in remodeling its street railroad system and that the work will be done this year.

It is proposed to make the system a broad gauge one and to put on new and much larger cars, planning to make the system available for connections that may be run through the San Joaquin Valley in the future.

STANFORD STUDENTS DROPPED.

DEFICIENT IN SCHOLARSHIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 31.—The report of the faculty committee of Stanford University on deficiencies in scholarship today shows that forty-eight students have been dropped from the university and will not be allowed to register next semester, owing to poor work durig the last five months. Forty-four others have received warning that they must do better work during the fall semester or their registration will be cancelled. The classical courses show the least number of students who have been deficient, while the department of law and the engineering coures, which are conceded to be the most thorough, have the greatest number of deficiencies.

BLACK HORSES WANTED.

FOR KNIGHTS TO RIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Never before, say the local liverymen and dealers in horseflesh, has there been such a strong demand for black saddle horses. The occasion for it is the coming of Knights Templar conclave, when every Sir Knight in the land who can so order his affairs as to be in San Francisco will ride through the streets in gorgeous regalia, astride of a curveting black charger.

North and South and East have emissaries sped in search of steeds of somber hue, and wherever stockmen gather are told tales of this earnest quest. Long ago did far-seeing knights provide against the day when the cry of the slothful would be like that of Richard of England, who made the record bid for horseflesh. The biggest sum so far reported to have been paid is $500, which Col. E. F. Preston is said to have given for a beautiful animal which he had shipped to him all the way from Missouri.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

To Prison for Robbing Cottage.

SAN JOSE, May 31.—Joe Rodriguez today was found guilty of robbing a cottage at the Guadalupe mine and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment at San Quentin.

McGeoghegan Says Not Guilty.

SAN JOSE, May 31.—Ex-City Treasurer McGeoghegan today pleaded not guilty of embezzlement in the Superior Court. His case will be set for trial next calendar.

Blaze in the Mayor's House.

SAN JOSE, May 31.—At noon today fire started in the residence of Mayor George D. Worswick, but was soon extinguished. A few hundred dollars' worth of clothing was destroyed.

Blown to Pieces by Powder.

GRASS VALLEY, May 31.—The accidental explosion of a box of giant powder blew George Hugunin to pieces in the Omaha mine, south of town, today. He was carrying the powder when it went off.

Dairy Exchange Meeting.

SAN WRANCISCO, May 31.—Another effort to establish a dairy exchange will be made tomorrow. A meeting of merchants, handling butter, eggs and cheese will be held and organization may be effected.

Accidentally Shot and Killed.

SANTA ROSA, May 31.—Fred Elwell, a young man of this city, was accidentally shot and killed today at Rincon Valley by Walter Black.

Washer and Engine Room Burn.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) May 31.—The big coal washer and engine room of the Western Fuel Company of Nanaimo were destroyed by fire today. The loss is $80,000 and a mine which employed 800 men is idle.

Filipinos Visit Navy Yard.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The visiting Filipino commissioners were the guests today of the Merchants' Association, on a bay excursion, which included a trip to Mare Island navy yard and also to all the points of interest on the bay.

Valves of Her Heart Were Weak.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 31.—Miss Ellen Olsson, a native of Stockholf, Sweden, 26 years of age, has been found dead in the Mariposa lodging-house in Palto Alto. She was employed in the department of botany at Stanford University, where her brother is as instructor. She was a graduate of the University of Helsinfors, Sweden. At the Coroner's inquest, the cause of death was found to be valvular heart trouble.

Found Dead in X-Ray Room.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Serafino Anselmo, a pantryman at the City and County Hospital, was found dead in the X-ray room at the institution today. He was a cripple and had committed suicide by inhaling gas.

Farmer Takes Fatal Fall.

STOCKTON, May 31.—Henry Francke, a Banta farmer, aged 61 years, was run over and killed today. He was passing under a railroad trestle with a load of hay, when the wagon struck a support and threw him off, the wheels passing over his head.

His Father Finds the Body.

OAKLAND, May 31.—The body of Prentice A. McKenny, a San Francisco lad who was drowned in the estuary off Walnut street, Alameda, yesterday afternoon, was recovered today. His companion had pointed out the place of the accident, and, while dragging there, the father found his boy's body.

Soeder up for Sentence.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Leon Soeder, convicted of the murder of Joseph Blaise, was up for sentence before Judge Cook today. Gen. Salomon, counsel for the defendant, moved for a new trial on the ground that his client had been convicted on perjured testimony. The case was then continued until Friday.

Lived on Half an Hour.

SALINAS, May 31.—In attempting to board a special northbound train at King City, Oscar Matthis, son of a prominent stable owner, fell beneath the wheels, the entire train passing over him. Both legs were severed and his body mangled. The sufferer lived half an hour after being hurt. He was a native of California, aged 22 years.

Explosion Victims Number Three.

REDDING, May 31.—D. Bawsfield and H. Hawkins, colored, two of the five men injured in the Keswick explosion yesterday, died during the night, making three deaths. Of the two others hurt, D. Biesecker is not expected to live through the day, but there is some hope that T. Giaconno will survive. It is conceded that the explosion was due to water being turned on the matter remaining in the furnace too soon after the latter had been tapped.

Death Penalty Upheld.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The entire seven justices of the Supreme Court today affirmed the decision of the local Superior Court that William Bickley be punished by death for killing George Rico. Them urder was the result of the machinists strike in 1901. Rico, a non-union man, accepted employment in place of a striker. He was followed home by Buckley and three others, badly beaten and then shot to death.

First Nome Fleet Sails.

SEATTLE (Wash.) May 31.—Three vessels of the first Nome fleet, the steamers Oregon, Tacoma and Senator, sail tomorrow. They have about 1100 passengers booked. Each vessel will put to sea with every ton of freight she can carry. The steamship Roanoke, Olympia, Victoria and Garonne all sail before the close of this week.

JUDGE AND MRS. O'CONNER'S GIFT.

PICTURES AND STATUARY FOR TRINITY COLLEGE.

Los Angeles Jurist and His Wife Give Very Valuable Collection to Washington School for Women. Over Four Hundred Works of Art, Both Original and Copies.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Trinity College for Women this afternoon came formally into possession of a gallery of paintings, statuary and etchings, valued at $250,000.

The collection is the gift of Judge and Mrs. Miles P. O'Conner of Los Angeles, and is housed in an addition to the main college building, also given to the institution by them. This double donation is estimated at about $500,000. Both venerable donors, the former long a prominent jurist of the West, are now in Washington and attended the exercises this afternoon, which transferred the gallery to the authorities of the college.

Included in the gallery are 425 works of art. Of this number, ten are original works of sculpture, 115 are paintings in oil, chiefly copies of religious masterpieces in Rome. Venice and Florence, and 230 are engravings or etchings in black and white. There are, in addition, several mosaics, group photographs of Venice and Florence, retouched in color with marvelously fine effect, and a cabinet of small paintings on ivory and porcelain, chiefly of religious subjects. The copies in oil are known among art dealers as "original copies," a phrase which indicates that the copies were made directly from the originals; but their chief value lies in the fact they have been painted with great skill and are probably as true to the originals as any other copies in existence.

NAMES OF PICTURES.

In this section of the new gallery are copies of the following water colors: "Discussion of the Holy Trinity," by Andrea Del Sarto; "The Three Graces," by Titian; "The Madonna of Fra Lippo Lippi;" "The Garden of Love," by Rubens; "Beatrice Cenci," of Carlodolce; "Our Lady of Slumber," by Rafael; "Saint Anthony of Padua," by Murillo; "Magnificat," of Botticelli; "Christ in the House of Levi," by Paul Veronese; "The Adoration of the Shepherds," by Domenico Chirlandaio; "The Stuart Children," by Van Dyck; "Saint Cecilia," by Rafael; "Saint Catharine," by Rubens; "The Magdalen," by Rubens; "The Madonna of the Throne," by Perugino; the "Madonna and Child Cherubs," of Michel Angelo; "The Last Supper," by Leonardo Da Vinci; "Pallas and The Centaur," by Botticelli; "The Transfiguration," by Rafael, and "The Concert," by Giorgione.

Of originals the most notable are three scenes by Heinz Heinlein, three works by Fanfani, including a noteworthy study of Dante and Beatrice, a fine landscape by Meimgruh, two pastorals by And Marko, two landscapes by Bertha Van Hilla, and a landscape by one of her pupils, Marie J. C. Becket, and paintings by Prof. Perrari, Scifoni, Butz, Wanderwerf, Salmonson, Fossi, Pezzuti, and Mazzerolli.

The collection of statuary includes two fine works by Randolph Rogers, "The Lost Pletad," and "The Stepping Ariadne," "Linneas as a Boy" and "Sir Walter Scott," By Brabandti; "Innocence," by Albano, and "The Little Embroiderer," by Lapini.

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SUSPENSION OF THE SPY.

Worcester's Famous Old Newspaper Stops Publication Because of a Foreclosure.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WORCESTER (Mass.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Worcester Spy, one of the oldest and best-known newspapers in the country, suspended publication tonight after a foreclosure of two mortgages, aggregating $16,000, by Edward Clark of Natick. The paper was established in 1770, in Boston, by Isaiah Thomas, who was driven from that city by the English because of his fearless utterances in behalf of the colonies. He moved the entire plant to Worcester, and the paper has not missed an issue since it was first printed here until tonight.

The plant is in possession of a constable representing the mortgagee. The second editor was John Whittin Earle, and he was succeeded by John D. Baldwin, who left the paper to his two sons, John S. and Charles C. Baldwin.

William S. Walker of Chicago took possession in 1898, after bankruptcy proceedings, during which the paper was printed every day. Walker disposed of the paper in October, 1899, to Charles Nutt of Natick, who came here from New Rochelle, N. Y. He has not made a success of it, and this afternoon Clark foreclosed the mortgage.

PREFERS FOUNDRY.

New England Society Amazed by Action of Heiress to Millions in Breaking Off Engagement.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Elise Farrel, youngest, prettiest and favorite daughter of Franklin Farrel, the multi-millionaire iron manufacturer of Ansonia, Ct., will not marry David Huyler Gaines of this city June 22, as announced. Gaines is a noted Yale student.

In the midst of preparations, society of New England has been amazed by a sudden and indefinite postponement of the ceremony. The reason is said to be devotion to her father's business. Friends are reported as saying the engagement has been broken and the wedding will never take place.

Miss Farrel has been known far and wide as heiress to many millions, but great fortune never made her crave social triumphs. Four years ago she abandoned society to enter her father's great foundry and master the details of the industry she must some day control. Dressed in a black walking skirt, she went to the factory each morning at 8 o'clock and stayed until the office force left at night. There was nothing too trivial about the factory to interest her.

Workmen and their families receive her sympathy and assistance, and thousands of women and children of Ansonia speak of her with a kindly glow in their eyes.

COTTON FIRM FAILS.

S. Munn, Son and Company, Conservative and Respected, in Financial Difficulties.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—The suspension of S. Munn, Son & Co. was announced on the Cotton Exchange today. The firm is one of the oldest in the cotton trade in this city. The head bookkeeper and cashier disappeared about ten days ago, and the firm believes that as soon as its accounts are straightened out it will be able to resume.

At the office of the firm it was said that Clarence F. Cameron, the office manager and head clerk, had been absent for about a week. An examination of the books so far made, it was added, showed apparent discrepancies amounting to about $125,000.

The Munn firm is one of the most conservative and respected in the cotton business. It is composed of Samuel G. Munn and H. T. Munn and the estate of A. G. Munn, Jr.

The firm has a Coffee Exchange membership, but had few open accounts there.

August J. Stillin, legal representative of the firm, said its Chicago Board of Trade accounts were tangled up.

Cameron had been in the employ of the company for fifteen years.

Members of the firm say their local accounts are all right and have already been adjusted, and that the property of the firm improperly diverted was comparatively small and not nearly $100,000.

Several claims to meet notes were made some time ago by firms doing business with Munn & Co. In this way it was discovered that something was wrong.

The cotton market was very little affected by the suspension.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the St. Denis, J. R. Compton and wife; Wellington, E. W. Fox, P. G. Winnett; Manhattan, T. W. Phillips and wife, M. Stimson and wife; Manhattan, Miss M. Storr, of Santa Barbara; Bartholdi, T. M. Dimmick of Pasadena.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Today, the weather was ten degrees colder than it should have been. Tomorrow, there will be no improvement, and to the cold spell will be added possible showers and fresh northeast winds. The fall in temperature of the last three days has brought the total deficiency for the year up to 533 degs. Maximum today, 56 degs.; minimum, 43. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 50; Bismarck, 54; Cairo, 66, Cheyenne, 54; Cincinnati, 62; Cleveland, 50; Concordia, 66; Davenport, 74; Denver, 62; Des Moines, 72; Detroit, 50; Dodge City, 68; Dubuque, 74; Duluth, 44; Edmonton, 52; Escanaba, 56; Grand Rapids, 60; Green Bay, 60; Helena, 60; Huron, 68; Indianapolis, 76; Kansas City, 66; Marquette, 62; Memphis, 70; Milwaukee, 52; Minnedosa, 64; North Platte, 54; Omaha, 68; St. Louis, 72; St. Paul, 72; Sault Saint Marie, 56; Springfield, Ill., 70; Springfield, Mo., 72; Wichita, 72.

MISS ROOSEVELT'S FUN.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three times did the X-ray machine search for the heart of Miss Alice Roosevelt today, but without avail.

"Do you suppose she has lost it?" was the question.

Very easily did the same machine find the hearts of Miss Whitney and Miss Catlin.

Utterly eluding the detectives sent to guard her, Miss Roosevelt slipped away to see the fair for herself. Among other things, exciting and of interest was having a picture taken as she posed between Gens. Cronje and Valjean at the Boer exhibit.

ILLNESS AMONG DELEGATES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To the scourge of pneumonia has been added the fear of smallpox, and the delegates to the Republican State Convention are in a painful state of mind. Irving Banks of Belvidere went home last week ill. His ailment has been diagnosed as smallpox. Judge Wood, also of Belvidere, is down with pneumonia, and many county delegations are short through illness.

GUARDSMEN'S UNLUCKY SALUTE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YANKTON (S. D.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Memorial Day services yesterday several women were painfully injured and the soldiers' monument was badly defaced by a salute fired by a squad of militiamen. The soldiers discovered at the last moment that they had no blank cartridges, and put ball cartridges in their guns. Many of the bullets struck the sides of the monument, and a shower of granite fell into a group of members of the Women's Relief Corps at the foot of the shaft.

LIEUT. J. T. BERRY DEAD.

Lieut. John T. Berry of the Twenty-seventh Infantry was found dead in bed this morning by his orderly at Fort Sheridan. Death was caused by heart trouble, due to previous illness. When he returned from the Philippines recently, Lieut. Berry was confined to a hospital in San Francisco for some time. Berry was scheduled for promotion in a few weeks.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Arlie Nicely, a High School pupil, eloped from Petersburg with James Burton. As the minister began the wedding ceremony, Miss Nicely interrupted him, remarking: "I can quit, if I get tired of married life, can't I?" The pastor told her the vows were taken for life. "Then I won't get married," replied the girl, and no pleading could change her.

WASHINGTON.

NO PIE IN THE WOODS.

Forest-Reserve Appointments Outside of Patronage.

The President Cleaning up Public Land Service.

Chief Executive's Vacation. To Rescue Perdicaris.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President has written a letter to the Secretary of the Interior, advising him that appointments in the forestry service are not to be regarded as Senatorial patronage, and he has informed western Senators who have recently recommended candidates for these positions that merit will be the sole consideration. It is the policy of the President and Secretary Hitchcock to fill vacancies wherever possible in the list of forest reserve supervisors by promoting men from the position of head ranger, thus recognizing faithful service to the government. This determination is in keeping with the efforts of the President and the Interior Department to cause a general cleaning-up of the public-land service, in view of recent scandals, and to keep the service above reproach.

Senators from the State of Washington recently recommended an outsider for appointment as supervisor of the western division of the Washington forest reserve, one of the largest and most valuable timber reserves in the United States, but they have been informed by the President that the head ranger of the western division is to be promoted to the supervisorship to fill the vacancy recently caused by a death.

Secretary Hitchcock has entered heartily into the spirit of the President's order, and he will decline to accept the recommendations of Senators in regard to forest-reserve appointments unless their reasons happen to be in line with the desire of the government to promote men already employed in the service.

Another decision of the President and Interior Department which was recently made known will have the tendency to reduce the amount of Federal patronage at the disposal of Senators in western States. This is the settled policy of the administration to place Indian reservations as far as possible in the hands of bonded superintendents, instead of Indian agents. Bonded superintendents will be selected usually from the Indian service, and outsiders will have little chance of getting these places.

FRANCE TO SAVE PERDICARIS.

ITS MINISTER NOTIFIED TO USE HIS UTMOST ENDEAVORS.

American Vessels Assemble at Tangier—Special Courier Sent to the Sultan of Morocco Concerning the Prisoners—People Are Moving Into the City for Protection.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—This cablegram has been received at the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral Chadwick, commanding the South Atlantic fleet at Tangier: "The seizure of the American citizen was by insurgent chiefs, so as to bring pressure on the Sultan of Morocco to secure the demands of the tribe. Our sense of the gravity of the case is shown by the presence of the American squadron, and will undoubtedly cause the earlier yielding by the Sultan of Morocco to the demand of the chief, which is the only safe means of releasing the captive."

There is the highest authority for the statement that an attack on Tangier or an expedition against the brigands will be followed by the immediate murder of the captives. At the instance of Secretary Hay, no instructions will be sent to Rear-Admiral Chadwick for the present, pending the result of the request to the French government for the exercise of its good offices in obtaining the release of the captives.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Through Ambassador Porter, Secretary Hay has requested the French government to exercise its good offices toward securing the release of Perdicaris, the kidnaped American in Morocco. The French government has undertaken the task, and because of its closer association with the various elements in Morocco, it is believed here that it can accomplish more than any other government.

The British government, also, is acting with great energy in behalf of young Varley, the stepson of Perdicaris and a British subject, and the British officials are in communication with the United States government on the subject.

Admiral Chadwick is not expected at present to land a party from his fleet to pursue the brigands, but it is said positively that if Fraissouli executes his threat of killing his captives, the United States government will insist that he be run down and executed at any cost.

It is expected at the Navy Department that the South Atlantic squadron, now at Tangier, will be reinforced today by the European squadron, commanded by Rear-Admiral Jewell, and consisting of the Olympia, Baltimore and Cleveland, which left the Azores Saturday. The battleship Iowa left Horta, Azores, today for Lisbon, whither she was preceded by the battleships Kearsarge, Maine and Alabama of Rear-Admiral Barker's squadron. The Perdicaris matter was discussed at some length at today's Cabinet meeting.

FRANCE TO THE RESCUE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, May 31.—Foreign Minister Delcassé, in consequence of a communication from the State Department at Washington, transmitted, through Ambassador Porter, has telegraphed instructions to the French Minister at Tangier to use his utmost endeavors to obtain the release of Ion Perdicaris and Cromwell Varley.

American officials are hopeful that French influence with the Moroccan government, together with the presence of the American fleet at Tangier, will secure an adjustment of the affair. Reports through French official channels show that the bandit's demand for ransom is $70,000.

The American view is that if the ransom should be paid through the family of Perdicaris, Raisuli's demand could be dealt with subsequently and the money restored, but the French officials who are familiar with the situation in Morocco are less sanguine of a settlement, owing to claims that Raisuli has put forward which threaten to raise political and international entanglements. According to information reaching the Foreign Office, he requires the Sultan to give him a subordinate kingdom, with the right to levy taxes throughout a region embracing thirty-eight square kilometers lying directly along the main route from Tangier to Fez. Officials say Raisuli would thereby become one of the dominant political factors in Morocco. Raisuli's demand is considered very unjust here. However, the French Minister at Tangier secured the release of a Frenchman held under similar circumstances as the Americans.

The French authorities are not likely to view favorably the seizure of a port or the landing of marines, being of the opinion that the Monroe doctrine should cut both ways. It is also pointed out that an expedition inland would be wholly impracticable, owing to topographical and material considerations.

CABINET CONSIDERATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Careful consideration was given by the Cabinet today to the Perdicaris matter. Secretary Hay presented the latest advices from Consul Gummere at Tangier. Members of the Cabinet manifested great reticence in talking for publication, but it is known that Secretary Hay presented some matters relating to the case of the utmost importance. Secretary Moody said that no report of the case had then been received from Rear Admiral Chadwick, although he expected one at any time. It was stated that the action of the navy in the matter had been taken at the instance of the State Department.

AMERICAN VESSELS ASSEMBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TANGIER, May 31.—The United States gunboats Castine and Marietta arrived here during the night, completing, with the cruisers Brooklyn and Atlanta, which arrived yesterday, the American squadron sent here in connection with the kidnaping of Ion Perdicaris, the American, and his stepson, Cromwell Varley, a British subject. The population is deeply impressed by the assembling of so many United States war vessels, and people living outside the city are removing here for safety.

The British and American representatives have sent a special courier to the Sultan of Morocco concerning the prisoners. The officials maintain strict secrecy regarding the negotiations in progress.

A death has occurred on board one of the American ships. Funeral services were held today.

The British dispatch boat Surprise arrived here during the day with the admiral from Gibraltar, to confer with the British Minister in regard to the kidnaping of Perdicaris and Varley. The United States flagship Brooklyn saluted the Surprise.

The inhabitants of Tangier are uneasy, and the British residents outside the town have been requested by their Consul to come to Tangier.

EXPLORER HESS'S SIDELIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—Jean Hess, an explorer, who has just returned from Morocco, in discussing with the Paris correspondent of the Times the kidnaping of Ion Perdicaris and his stepson, Varley, said: "Fraissouli is a Moorish chief, an ex-government functionary whom the Sultan has forgotten to pay. He hopes by obtaining ransom for his prisoners to get financially square with his former master."

There need be no fear in the United States that the cost of the expedition will not be paid by Morocco, inasmuch as a Paris financial institution is now preparing to issue a loan to the Sultan of $10,000,000.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS.

PHILIPPINE POINTS SETTLED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—In the United States Supreme Court opinions were handed down today in three cases involving questions pertaining to the administration of criminal law in the Philippine Islands. The points raised were as to the right of the government to take appeal in criminal cases and of an accused person to demand trial by jury.

The first case was that of Kepner vs. the United States. Kepner practiced law in Manila, and was charged with embezzlement. The Court of First Instance acquitted him, but the Supreme Court of the islands convicted him. The case was then appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States by Kepner, on the ground that, by the process of appeal, he was put twice in jeopardy, contrary to the Constitution of the United States. The opinion was by Justice Day, sustaining this view, and reversed the decision of the Philippine Supreme Court. Justices Holmes, White and McKenna united in one dissenting opinion, while Justice Brown delivered a separate dissenting opinion.

The case of Mendazona vs. the United States, involving the same question, was similarly rendered in favor of Mendazona.

Another Philippine case was that of Dorr and O'Brian, in which was raised the question of the right of a defendant in a criminal case to demand trial by jury in the Philippines, in the absence of Congressional enactment granting such right. The court held that the Constitution does not carry right without legislative enactment. Dorr and O'Brian are the editors of a newspaper published in Manila, and were prosecuted for criminal libel.

The Chief Justice and Justices Brewer and Peckham united in an opinion concurring in this result, but stating different grounds. Justice Harlan delivered a vigorous dissenting opinion, saying that the opinion is contrary to the established system of the United States, and declaring the opinion of the court to be in effect an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

OLEOMARGARINE LAW HOLDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Supreme Court of the United States, in an opinion by Justice White today, upheld the constitutionality of the Oleomargarine Law. Leo W. McRay sued the government in the Southern District of Ohio to recover $50, paid by him as a penalty for the sale of a fifty-pound package of colored oleomargarine, containing a stamp tax of three-quarters of a cent a pound, instead of 10 cents a pound. McRay's counsel argued first that, although the "oleo" was colored to look like butter, the color was obtained by the use of butter which was itself artificially colored, but the use of which as an ingredient in the manufacture of the "oleo" was authorized by law, and, second, that the tax of 10 cents a pound was prohibitive and confiscatory, and an attempted Federal usurpation of the police powers of the State.

The court said that the tax contemplated the finished product, and not the details of manufacture. If the "oleo" was colored it should have the higher tax, and if uncolored, the lower tax, regardless of how obtained. As to the amount of the tax, the court said it was settled that the court could not consider the amount of any tax fixed by Congress, this being purely a political function. The court therefore affirmed the judgment of the lower court, upholding the validity of the law and the tax. The Chief Justice and Justices Brown and Peckham dissented.

CONSTITUTIONAL POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Justice Day, in delivering the Kepner opinion, said the Spanish system of jurisprudence in the Philippines permitted an appeal from the Court of First Instance to the Supreme Court and our military authorities had sanctioned this practice. Congress, however, in establishing a civil government in the islands, had superseded these orders, and had expressly declared that a man could not be tried twice for the same offense, having been found innocent on the first trial.

In denying the right of trial by jury demanded by Dorr and O'Brian, Justice Day first laid down these conclusions as being established: That the Constitution of the United States is the only source of power authorizing action by any branch of the Federal government; that the government may acquire territory as a sovereign nation and make all needful rules and regulations for the government of the same; that this territory may be possessed and still not incorporated in the body politic. While the territory is in this condition or thus held, Congress has the right, subject to the restrictions of the Constitution, to make all needful rules and regulations for its government; that the treaty of Paris, ceding the Philippines to the United States, explicitly states in Article 9 that the civil rights and political status of the islands shall be determined and fixed by Congress.

"We think," the opinion continues, "that so far as territory is outlying and not incorporated, Congress is not required to set up trial by jury."

In his dissenting opinion, Justice Harlan said that where the rights of 10,000,000 people were involved, he felt constrained to dissent. He did not believe that the provisions of the Federal Constitution as to grand and petit juries to be mere methods of procedure and were not fundamental in their nature.

"In my opinion," he said, "the guarantee for the protection of liberty and property embodied in the Constitution was for the benefit of all, of whatever race or nativity, either in the States composing the Union or in any territory, however acquired, over which and for the independence of which the United States may exercise and perform the duty placed on it by the Constitution.

"The Constitution declares 'no person' (not an American citizen) shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime on presentment or indictment of a grand jury and the unanimous verdict of a petit jury composed of twelve persons. The conclusion reached by the court is so obviously forbidden by the Constitution that I cannot regard the judgment of this court otherwise than as an amendment to the Constitution by judicial action, when another mode of amendment is expressly provided for in that instrument."

Granting the trial by jury might be sometimes inconvenient in the administration of criminal justice in the Philippines, Justice Harlan observed, "but we knew that when we acquired them by treaty."

Such inconveniences, he maintained, were of slight moment compared with the danger of judicial amendments to the Constitution.

The Solicitor-General obtained permission of the court to file a permission for a rehearing in the Kepner case.

NEW COURT SEAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The United States Supreme Court today ordered a new seal for the court for the first time since 1790. The old seal was the size of a silver dollar. Today's order calls for a seal 2¾ inches in diameter, somewhat larger than the old seal.

SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 31.—The United States Supreme Court today adjourned finally until next October.

ATTACK ON OUR FRUITS.

CHEMICAL TREATMENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The State Department today issued the following report from the United States Consul at Kiel, Germany:

"I beg to call attention to an article which appeared in the Journal d'Alsace, published in the City of Strasburg, under the date of April 22, 1904. I have not thus far been able to ascertain what steps have been taken toward excluding California evaporated fruits, but as the article has appeared in other newspapers, I think it advisable to bring the matter to the attention of the California producers, in order that they may prove the falsity of such charges, regarding the preparation of fruit for German markets. The following is a translation of the article in question:

"'The introduction into Germany of California dried fruits is to be forbidden. The prunes which are sent from California are frequently soaked in a bath of alum and glycerine and in red coloring matter, which gives them weight, but hardens the skin. Peaches and apricots are treated twice to a preparation of sulphur, in order to preserve the beautiful appearance of the fruit, and by this process there is formed upon the surface of the fruit a residuum of sulphuric acid which is very dangerous to the stomach.'"

CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S VACATION.

LEAVES WASHINGTON JULY 2.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—While only tentative arrangements have been made for the President's sojourn during the summer at Oyster Bay, it has been decided that he will leave Washington for his summer home on the morning of Saturday, July 2. He has decided to receive his notification of the nomination at Oyster Bay. The date will depend very largely on the desires of the members of the Notification Committee. It probably will be early in July.

It is expected that the President will return to Washington in the last week of July, to remain here until about the middle of August, when he will return to Oyster Bay for perhaps a month. When he returns to Washington in September, he will remain here until election day, going then to Oyster Bay to cast his vote.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

California Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California postmasters were appointed today: Creston, San Luis Obispo county, Charles A. Gruenhagen; Naranjo, Tulare county, M. R. Brotherton; Villa Park, Orange county, Ernest J. Delong.

Bank of Tulare's Change.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Comptroller of the Currency today approved the application of the Bank of Tulare to change into "The First National Bank of Tulare," capital $50,000. The Comptroller also issued a certificate authorizing the First National Bank of San Mateo County, Redwood City, to commence business with a capital of $102,800. L. N. Rose is president and L. P. Behrens cashier.

Lieut. Aiken Convicted.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—First Lieutenant William B. Aiken, Twenty-eighth Infantry, has been tried in the Department of California on a charge of breach of arrest and sentenced to dismissal. He served in a Tennessee regiment during the Spanish war, and was appointed first lieutenant in the regular army in 1901.

Col. Hinton's Burial Today.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The remains of Col. Richard J. Hinton, formerly of San Francisco, who died in London a little over two years ago, have arrived in Washington and will be buried in Arlington Cemetery tomorrow with full military honors.

LABOR.

BIGGEST STRIKE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

IRON AND STEEL EMPLOYEES REFUSE TO ARBITRATE.

Men Demand a Return to the Former Wage Scale, but the Company Prepares for a Struggle — Metal Men Vote Funds to Break the Chicago Machinists' Strike.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SYDNEY (N. S.) May 31.—What promises to be the greatest labor struggle in the history of Nova Scotia was launched at midnight last night, when the employés of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company rejected the offer of the directors to arbitrate the wage question, and declared a strike. Altogether there are 2900 men employed in the plant, and 500 will be affected, so far as the strike order is concerned.

Last October the men's wages were cut from 15 to 33 per cent, and it is a restoration of this scale that they demand. The company is prepared for the struggle and thousands of tons of coal are banked on the plant.

VOTE STRIKE-BREAKER FUNDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI May 31.—The Executive Committee of the National Metal Trades Association closed its session tonight. It was decided to vote all the funds necessary to break the strike of the machinists in Chicago, as word had been received that the unions there had decided to force the fight to an issue. It is expected that all the machinists in Chicago, numbering about ten thousand, will go out tomorrow. The association has been securing men for the places vacated, and expects to have several hundred men in Chicago in a few days.

PUT BRAKES ON WORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH, May 31.—Because of the extensive retrenchment being made by the great railroad systems, especially the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Westinghouse Air-brake Company's plant at Wilmerding has cut the working time of its employés. More than one-half of the 4000 employés of the plant will work but half and two-thirds time, while the remainder will work eight instead of ten hours daily, with five hours Saturday.

Threatened Strike Averted.

SYDNEY (N. S.) May 31.—A threatened strike of the employés of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company has been averted. The men are said to have received concessions, but the terms are unknown.

Brest Strike More Serious.

BREST (France) May 31.—The strike of the dock laborers is becoming more grave. During the night a crowd of strikers had a serious affray with a large force of military. Several on both sides were injured.

Strikers and Negroes Fight.

PORTSMOUTH (O.) May 31.—Strikers and Virginia negroes imported to fill their places fought a pitched battle at Roger Brown Company's plant at Hanging Rock last night. Several hundred shots were exchanged, but no one was wounded. Every man in the town is armed with a rifle.

Lay-off on the Pennsylvania.

COLUMBUS (O.) May 31.—Announcement was made at the general offices of the Southwest system of the Pennsylvania lines today that 1100 shopmen would be laid off tomorrow to cut down expenses. It is also announced that 462 men in the maintenance of way departments of the Pittsburgh division have been suspended for the same reason.

Discussed Amendments.

DENVER, May 31.—A lengthy discussion of the various amendments proposed to the constitution of the Western Federation of Miners constituted practically the entire work of the convention today.

DEATH IN WATER BARREL.

LAS VEGAS (N. M.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From Red River, a hundred miles away, and from Sanchez, seventy-five miles, comes the news of the deaths of three more victims of the water containing arsenic drawn from a barrel kept by the family of José Tafoya. A Red River relative came to attend the funeral of a relative, drank the water, went home and died. Higino Martines and Simon Garcia came to the city to attend court, visited the family, ate food cooked in the water, and died after reaching home. This makes seven deaths.

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THE GREAT WAR.

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at Shanghai learns that the Russians hanged a party of Chinese who had been caught signalling to the Japanese fleet near Vladivostok.

REFUGEES AT NEWCHWANG.

THEY REPORT DAILY FIGHTING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWCHWANG, May 31, Morning.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Refugees who continue to arrive here from the southern part of the Liao Tung Peninsula report daily fighting there and severe losses for both armies, but the reports are not confirmable officially. The Russians here are depending on the press bulletins for news from that vicinity. The very highest Russian authority here, while not believing that Port Arthur will fall, admits that its loss would be a terrible blow to the Russian arms. The same authority says Russia may send a large army to the south of Newchwang in the event of Gen. Stoessel being able to hold his own at Port Arthur. This, however, is not possible at present, owing to the positions occupied by the Japanese armies operating from the Yalu and Takushan.

The Russians are not sanguine as to the outlook for Port Arthur. More contraband of war is arriving here. Two cargoes of flour and tinned meats and some specie were rushed to Mukden as soon as they were unloaded. Heavy rains are daily making the roads almost impassable. The Chinese brigands are becoming active.

MANY SICK AND WOUNDED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, June 1.—The Daily Mail's Newchwang correspondent says the hospitals are packed with sick and wounded. The work of repairing the damaged warships has been stopped. All civilians have been given military duties. The general health of the inhabitants is good, except that Chinese are dying of starvation. Theft has been made punishable by death. The railway is completely destroyed as far as Kinchow, and there are frequent gaps between Kinchow and Wa Fang Tien.

At Wa Fang Tien there are 15,000 Japanese troops, but no sign of troops farther north. During the fighting at Kinchow 200 Chinese were killed by the Japanese fire.

QUAY INTERMENT.

Thousands Viewed Remains of Senator During Funeral Hours in Hushed Beaver Valley.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BEAVER (Pa.) May 31.—For two hours today during the funeral services over the remains of Senator Matthew Stanley Quay business was suspended throughout the entire Beaver Valley. Not a wheel revolved in any of the numerous mills and workshops in Beaver, Rochester, New Brighton, Beaver Falls, or nearly a dozen other centers for miles around.

In this place, Senator Quay's old home, the streets were thronged with crowds from surrounding towns, anxious to pay a last tribute to the dead.

At the home there were brief services by Rev. J. R. Ramsay, D.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Under a guard of honor from Beaver G.A.R. post, the remains were removed to the First Presbyterian Church, where for three hours the public was given an opportunity to view the face of the dead Senator.

One of the first arrivals was Gov. Pennypacker, who, with ex-Lieut.-Gov. Walter Lyons and a number of relatives of the late Senator, came in on the same train. Every train brought in persons of prominence in the State and nation.

A large silk American flag was draped across the casket, and during the time the body lay in state several thousand persons viewed the remains. At the public services a committee of the United States Senate formed a guard of honor. The services were marked by simplicity.

The remains were conveyed to the family plot in Beaver Cemetery.

Among the floral tributes was a great wreath of American Beauty roses and white peonies, with maidenhair fern interwoven, from the President.

MYSTERY OF BEAUTIFUL CHILD.

NEW YORK, May 31.—In a small fire which destroyed a negro hovel in Brooklyn, a beautiful white child, 8 years of age, lost her life. The hut had been occupied by an old negress for some years. It was learned that the child had been reared by the negress, although evidently of refined parentage. Fragmentary admissions by the negress lead to the belief that the child's mother is a young woman well known in Brooklyn society. Its foster mother said she received for a time $500 every twelve months to care for the little girl, but the payments stopped five years ago.

MICHIGAN VICTORIOUS IN TENNIS

CHICAGO, May 31.—The University of Michigan was victorious in both singles and doubles in the first round of the Western Inter-collegiate Tennis Tournament, played today on the courts of the University of Chicago. Reuben Hunt of Michigan, champion of the States of California and Wisconsin, defeated Bailey of Iowa, in a hard-fought match. Hunt and Lee, the Michigan team, took away Chicago's chances in the doubles by beating Bingham and Moorehead.

JAPS FIND DALNY IN GOOD CONDITION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The Japanese legation today gave out the following dispatch from the home government at Tokio:

"Gen. Oku, commanding the army operating against Port Arthur, reports that our troops occupied Dalny on May 30. Over one hundred warehouses and barracks, besides the telegraph office and railway station, were found uninjured. Over two hundred railway cars were usable, but all small railway bridges in the neighborhood are destroyed. All dock piers, except the great pier, which was sunk, remain uninjured. Some steam launches were also found at the mouth of the dock."

CHEFOO'S VERSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, May 31, 7:30 p.m.—Five hundred Chinese refugees from Port Dalny and Talienwan arrived here today. After sifting their conflicting stories, it appears that the Russians left Talienwan May 26 for Port Arthur. Bandits later took possession of the town, and were pillaging when the Japanese cavalry appeared, May 27. May 28, the Russians left Port Dalny, previously burning the offices and residences, destroying the railroad and scuttling three large merchantmen—the Zeid, Boresia and Nagadan—and all the dredgers and launches.

Some of the refugees also say the Russians destroyed the gunboat Bobr, which is said to have taken part in the battle of Thursday last at Kinchow, and three torpedo boats. Others say these vessels returned to Port Arthur.

The docks and piers at Dalny were not destroyed. Bandits occupied the city after the Russians left, and levied tribute on the inhabitants. A Chinese contractor who had built most of Dalny for the Russians, was held for ransom, and his clerks were killed. The town was still burning, May 28, when the refugees started for Chefoo. The Japanese had not appeared at Dalny up to that time.

One junk which was leaving Dalny was sunk by bandits, and fifty persons were drowned.

The Chinese who have arrived here did not leave Dalny or Talienwan because they were afraid of the Russians or Japanese.

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TRAVELERS CROWD HAWAIIANS.

HONOLULU, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] So many travelers from the Orient crowd the China steamers, and so many visitors from Australia fill the steamers from Sydney that when vessels of both lines touch here there are no accommodations for Hawaiians. Scores of people anxious to leave the islands on business or pleasure cannot get steamer berths. It is doubtful whether delegates to the Republican and Democratic National Conventions can get away in time. Capt. Glen Collins and wife, who sailed on the last voyage of the Siberia, paid a heavy bonus to one of the petty officers for his room, after the captain of the ship had refused $1000 for his own room. Sailing vessels are being impressed into service to carry passengers to San Francisco.

BALTIMORE'S NEW MAYOR.

BALTIMORE, May 31.—President E. Clay Timanus of the second branch of the City Council took the oath of office as Mayor of Baltimore today, succeeding Robert M. McLane, who ended his life yesterday. Under a provision of the city charter, Mayor Timanus will serve out the remainder of Mayor McLane's term of three years. Mayor Timanus is a Republican. He announced today that it is too early for him to definitely outline what his policy may be.

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WRECKED BY EXPLOSION.

Almost a Tragedy at a South Spring Street Fire.

Room Occupied by Aged Couple Badly Wrecked.

Several Small Places of Business Destroyed.

G. Stoesak, a pioneer of Los Angeles, and his aged wife narrowly escaped death in an explosion which occurred early this morning during a fire which destroyed a number of small places of business on the west side of Spring street south of Fifth. Mr. Stoesak has had a small jewelry store at No. 511 South Spring street since 1885 and his apartments are in the rear of the store. The fire originated in Samuel's furniture store at No. 505, several doors from the jewelry store, and the latter place was at no time in danger from the flames. Mr. and Mrs. Stoesak were awakened by the noise made by the fire engines and leaving their bed began dressing when a terrific explosion occurred which blew the plastering off the walls and ceiling of their room, wrecked the bed in which they had been sleeping a moment before and demolished a fine dresser. Both of them were covered with the falling plaster, but except for a few bruises they were not injured.

What caused the explosion is not known. The fire was at its height, but it was nearly 100 feet from their home, and it is not known that there is any connection between the places, although the jewelry store and one of the stores reached by the flames are in the same old frame building. The explosion was not followed by any fire in their apartments, nor was there any smoke there. It is supposed that gas had accumulated between the ceiling and the second floor, and when the fire reached the end of the building and the flames entered that passageway, the explosion of gas followed. The loss caused by the explosion will amount to several hundred dollars. The aged jeweler and his wife were almost prostrated by the shock and the realization of their narrow escape from instant death.

The fire was discovered by Patrolman Burch, who sent in an alarm from box 41 at Fifth and Broadway. When the firemen arrived the flames were bursting through the roof of Samuels' furniture store and had spread to Hbert's cigar factory and Herrick's sewing machine agency on the south and to S. A. McKee's restaurant on the north. The rear of several small places of business fronting on Fifth street were also damaged, as was the side of a rooming-house over Herrick's store.

Despite the inflammable nature of the building, the firemen prevented the flames from spreading beyond the stores in which it was burning when they reached the place. The loss is heaviest on Samuels' furniture store, where it will amount to about $1500, partially insured. The loss on all other places and on the building will not exceed $1000 more.

RECLAMATION MEN.

Newell and Party Arrive at Midnight from Trip Through the Imperial Valley.

Chief Engineer F. H. Newell of the U. S. Reclamation Service, and party, arrived in this city at midnight last night and are quartered at the Broadway Van Nuys. In the party are Arthur P. Davis, supervising engineer of the Reclamation service, Morris Bien, legal representative of that service; J. P. Lippincott, local representative of the service; and C. M. McCullough. With them came Supt. R. H. Ingram of the Southern Pacific, President E. A. Fowler of the Salt River Valley Users' Association, and W. E. Smythe. D. M. Hall, one of the commissioners, was with the party, but has left for the East.

The party was then on a tour of inspection of the Yuma and Imperial country. On Saturday night a mass meeting was held at Yuma at which all but about one-fourth of the land to be conveyed by the government was contested for by settlers. At Imperial Monday night there was an enthusiastic meeting presided over by Mr. Smythe, at which resolutions were adopted favoring government control of the Colorado River.

SAID HE WAS TASCOTT.

Voluntary Declaration of Man Found Dying in Cabin Far Beyond the Klondike.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—A special to the Daily News from Victoria, B. C., says that if the voluntary declaration of a dying man is to be believed, finish has been written to the historic Snell tragedy of fifteen years ago, and Tascott, the long-sought murderer, self-identified, having paid the penalty of his crime with penitence, now fills an unmarked grave in the Heart of the Alaskan wilderness, where he had fled for the effacement of his individuality.

Philip Robertson, a strictly reliable man, prospector and miner, received the dying man's confessions, and tells the story. Robertson left the Klondike capital, he says, late last fall, in a small boat, bound for the new placer grounds at Fairbanks. He reached a point near Dahlney River, in a desolate and forbidding region, when the forlorn wailing of a dog called his attention to a cabin. Entering, he found a man dying, and who, before he expired, confessed that he was the long-hunted murderer.

OBITUARY.

Rev. Joseph N. Guilhard.

LOWELL (Mass.) May 31.—Rev. Joseph N. Guilard, once the foremost oblate in the country, died at the Tewksbury Noviate today from paralysis. For eleven years he was provincial for the United States province of oblates.

W. E. Ruffner.

STOCKTON, May 31.—W. E. Ruffner, a well-known grocer of the firm of Ruffner & Carson, died suddenly tonight after an illness of only a few hours. He had been in good health but complained of pains in his chest at supper time and within three hours he was dead from heart failure.

David R. Fraser.

CHICAGO, May 31.—David R. Fraser, one of the founders of what is now the Allis-Chalmers Company and identified with the concern until 1893, is dead of apoplexy. He was 80 years of age. He was the inventor of machinery which almost revolutionized the mining industry, and amassed a fortune in its manufacture.

Dr. Anne E. Park.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Dr. Anne E. Park, said to have bene the first woman admitted to medical practice in New York, is dead at the age of 74. Three weeks ago, when in perfect health, she visited an undertaking establishment, and told the manager she wished to arrange for her funeral. She chose a casket and robe with care and arranged the details for her funeral before leaving the shop. A daughter of Dr. Park resides in Los Angeles, Cal.

Rev. J. H. Scanlan.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Rev. J. H. Scanlan, chancellor of the archdiocese of San Francisco, died here today, in St. Vincent Hospital. He had been at the hospital several weeks, suffering from a complication of diseases.

THE PALMA TROPHY.

LONDON, May 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At the spring meeting of the National Rifle Association, held in London today, Lord Cheyesmore, the president, referred to the correspondence between the National Rifle Association and the American Rifle Association relative to the allegations that the American team, which won the Palma trophy in 1902, did not use the national arms of the United States, and therefore did not conform to the conditions of the contest. He regarded the incident as being most regrettable, and said it was very unfortunate that it ever occurred. The object of the council in sifting the matter was not to seek to reverse the result of the match or arouse any bitterness, but simply to clear up the serious question which had been publicly raised.

Replying to the communication from the National Rifle Association, Gen. B. A. Spencer admits the general truth of the allegation, but he denies that the Americans fully contravened the rules of the contest. He says they brought two patterns of rifles, and as no objection was raised to the pattern selected, they thought they were entitled to use it. Gen. Spencer points out that it was well known to everybody that these rifles were to be used, and no secret was made of the character of the rifles.

The Times, in a long article, summarizing the Palma trophy correspondence and commenting upon it, says that the trophy is likely to remain in the United States forever if a challenge is waited for from this country or perhaps from any other.

"The scene, after reading Gen. Spencer's letter," the Times says, "was one of dramatic and very significant silence. When Lord Cheylesmore asked if any members desired to say anything, there was a silence of scorn or sadness, or of both. There was really nothing to be said, except that conduct of this sort, combined with the complete absence of shame in confessing it, rendered further competition for the trophy impossible for honorable men."

WEATHER BAD FOR DERBY.

LONDON, June 1.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The wet weather is having a depressing effect on the Epsom meeting as a social function, and threatens to mar the enjoyment of one of the most interesting Derby days of recent years. The probability that France will carry off the blue ribbon this year leads to the event an unusual interest, while the fact that the great rider, George Thursby, will ride his brother's horse, John O'Gaunt, stimulates the popular fancy.

The King witnessed yesterday's races, and it is expected that both he and the Queen will see the great race.

BIG COMPLAINT DISMISSED.

SYRACUSE (N. Y.) May 31.—In the action involving almost $100,000,000 brought by stockholders against the New York and New Hartford and the New York Central and Hudson River railroad companies to set aside and adjudge void what is known as "secondary supplementary contract," made in 1897, for the lease of the former road to the latter and reducing the annual rentals $250,000, Charles Andrews, former chief judge of the Court of Appeals, as referee, has just handed down his decision in favor of the defendants and dismissed the complaint.

RED ANTS KILL BOLL WEEVILS.

FORT WORTH (Tex.) May 31.—A special to the Record from San Antonio, Tex., says that Joseph Cassiano, who has several hundreds of acres of cotton in that country, is bearer of good tidings concerning red ants. Cassiano's fields less than a month ago were alive with boll weevils. Today there is not a live weevil there. The rows are strewn with dead weevils, which the busy little red ants are carrying away by thousands. A close inspection failed to show a single live weevil on a cotton plant anywhere in the fields.

DISPROVES KOCH'S THEORY.

LONDON, May 1.—The royal commission appointed in August 1901, to inquire into the relation between human and animal tuberculosis has arrived at a conclusion justifing the issurance of an interim report, according to which the commission finds that human and bovine tuberculosis are practically identical. This disproof of Prof. Koch's theory is regarded by the English press as of the highest importance as bearing on the possibility of infection through milk.

Rancho del Paso Yearlings.

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two hundred and twenty-six thoroughbred yearlings from Rancho del Paso stud will arrive at Sheepshead Bay on Friday, and will be on exhibition at the sales paddocks there until Suburban Day, when most of the lot will be offered for sale. Fifty special horse cars are required for shipment. Twenty-eight different sires are represented, including some imported horses, whose get will be offered to the public for the first time.

ON THE ALLEYS.

PEARNE'S FINE AVERAGE.

In the Class A doubles tournament play last night on the Monarch alleys Pearne and Mackenzie easily defeated Bowron and Parlier by a score of 1910 to 1839. Pearne was in fine shape and made an average of 206 1-5 for five games. The third game of himself and Mackenzie was 479, which is the best so far in the tournament and it is not likely that it will be beaten for many months, because it is a remarkable game for doubles in tournament play. The scores were as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	Av.
Pearne	237	259	243	196	178	1113
Mackenzie	254	247	236	283	220	1240
Totals	491	506	479	479	398	2353
Total pins—1910.						
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	Av.
Bowron	173	162	210	179	194	918
Parlier	189	191	176	158	163	877
Totals	362	353	386	337	356	1795
Total pins—1839.						

WOODBURY WINS.

DEFEATS COLLEGIATE.

The Woodbury girls basketball team trimmed the Girls' Collegiate five yesterday afternoon by the close score of 12 to 10. Both showed good team work. The feature of the play was Miss Lena Slotowski's field and foul-goal throwing. Welcome Allen and Ella Freeman distinguished themselves by clever guarding. Coach Hollingsworth has brought the Woodburys to the front quite rapidly.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Charles M. Schwab, sailed for Europe yesterday on the steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm.

At Chicago, Judge Dunn yesterday issued a writ of mandamus ordering the city to issue a building permit for the remodeling of the Iroquois Theater.

Oxford University has decided to confer the degree of doctor of letters on William Dean Howells.

Oran dispatches to Paris say the Moorish pretender's last troops have disbanded. Numerous tribes are seeking to make submission to the Sultan.

Rear Admiral Mortimer L. Johnson, commandant of the Boston Navy Yard, will be retired today for age.

The suspension of Capt. La Joie of the Cleveland Baseball Club has been recalled and he will play in today's game.

Capt. William V. Judson, United States military attaché, accompanying the Russian army in the field, has announced his arrival at Lao Yang and says that he is the only American officer in that vicinity.

Crookshank Pasha, who is to represent the Khedive of Egypt at the St. Louis fair, has arrived from Europe.

Secretary of War Taft was the guest of Kansas City, Mo., for a few hours yesterday and spoke to a large crowd at Convention Hall.

The remains of the officers and men of the Seventeenth United States Infantry recently ambushed and killed by Moros have been interred at Cotabato in Mindanao.

While kneeling on Plymouth Bridge, praying for a relative who was drowned five years ago, George Shepla fell into the Susquehanna at Wilkesbarre, Pa., and was drowned.

At Paris the sale of Princess Mathilde's jewels, a pearl necklace, formerly the property of Queen Sophie of Holland, brought $151,000. It is said that the buyer represented the German Empress.

Porter, Field & Co., Chicago grain brokers, who were restrained from using the Board of Trade market quotations, have filed application to be adjudged bankrupt. In the schedule the liabilities are listed at $87,000 and the assets at $11,642.

The national convention has closed its regular sessions, says a New York Herald dispatch from Panama. A special session has been convoked, however, by the President and will begin June 1, to last ten days. Pending subjects and special matters proposed by the executive will be discussed.

After clinging for twenty-seven hours to the bottom of their boat, which had been capsized in a squall, on Utah Lake, near Geneva, Utah, Bruce Dallin, Jared Smith and Charles Wilson have been rescued by one of the many parties in search of them.

At Chicago the three thousand machinists employed by the companies that compose the Metal Trades Association went on strike last night as a protest against the ten-hour day and practically all the 135 shops represented in the association will be closed today.

David Rothschild, founder and wrecker of the Federal Bank of New York, was taken to Sing Sing prison yesterday for nine years for having appropriated to his own use the proceeds of a promissory note for $10,000 made by a depositor.

A dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald from Anderson, Ind., says that Hiram Staley, a young business man, has been stoned to death just after stepping from an electric car at Chesterfield. His assailants have not been identified, and their motive is not known.

The Missouri Supreme Court yesterday reversed and remanded the cases of T. E. Albright, Jerry J. Hannigan and John A. Sheridan, former members of the St. Louis Municipal Assembly, convicted on the charge of bribery and sentenced to five years each in the penitentiary. The cases were reversed on the brief of the Attorney-General that the informations were not verified by affidavits, as required by law.

United States Judge Dole has granted a new trial to Solomon Mehecula, clerk of the House of Representatives of Hawaii, who was found guilty by a jury of destroying vouchers of the House, for alleged session expenses. The verdict was set aside on the ground that the evidence given by Mehuela himself before the grand jury was illegally introduced at the trial.

Complaints by persons residing near the New York elevated railroads have caused the management to issue an order which in effect forbids the motormen, guards and other employés attempting to flirt while on duty. The order intimates that not only have trainmen been guilty of letting their attention wander from duty, but ticket-takers have been known to gaze so intently at a pretty girl passengers that others have passed through without paying toll.

At Trenton, N. J., Judge Archibaland, in the United States Circuit Court, yesterday filed an opinion deciding to appoint a receiver for the Mexican Central Silver Company, application for which was made a week ago by Solomon R. Jacobs of New York. The receiver will be named later. The complainants charge that the assets of the company have been illegally turned over to James W. Cunningham to secure an indebtedness the validity of which is attacked.

Sheriff Webb of Natrona county, Wyoming, and posse fought a battle with outlaws near the Putney ranch in the Big Horn Mountains. One of the outlaws was wounded and fell from his horse. A companion lifted him from the ground and escaped with him into the Bad Lands. The officers followed. A number of horses have been stolen from the Teasdale ranch recently, and Sheriff Webb and his men started in pursuit of the guilty parties about a week ago.

At Toledo, O., the Ninth Ohio District Congress convention was held yesterday. Anti-Hearst delegates were selected to the national convention.

Senor Mauer, the Spanish premier, interviewed in Madrid by the correspondent of the Paris Figaro, says that the Franco-Spanish negotiations concerning Morocco are progressing most favorably toward a complete agreement.

In a cave-in on the 2000-foot level of the Mountain Con Mine, last night, Peter Gobe was killed and Steve Johnson was seriously injured. The men were buried for about an hour and Gobe died shortly after being taken to the hospital.

THANATOS ATHANATOS.

(Deathless Death.)

At eve when the brief wintry day is sped,
I muse beside my fire's faint-flickering glare—
Conscious of wrinkling face and whitening hair—
Of those who, dying young, inherited
The immortal youthfulness of the early dead.
I think of Raphael's grand seigneurial air,
Of Shelley and Keats, with laurels fresh and fair
Shining unwithered on each sacred head—
And soldier boys who snatched death's stormy prize,
With sweet life radiant in their fearless eyes,
The dreams of love upon their beardless lips,
Bartering dull age for immortality;
Their memories hold in death's unyielding fee
And youth that thrilled them to the finger tips.
—[John Hay in June Century.

Have you seen the New Suitings at Tailoring Department?

White Pleated Shirts.

A new pleasure awaits the man who hasn't been introduced to these white summer shirts with pleated bosoms, that are just it. They're worn with a narrow black belt whose heavy buckle has a suggestion of harness, but that doesn't mean a man should allow himself to be driven.

Really, the two new ideas—shirts and these clever belts—make a swagger team. If you happen to wear a form-fitting combination suit beneath, then you'll experience the joy of perfect luxury. Imagine, if you can, such a thing as hot weather, with such preventatives as these!

This suggests a riddle.

Which man was happier Decoration Day, the one who didn't dress right and went to the beach or the one who wore a cool Silverwood outfit and sat on his own front porch watching the other one start off. You can be comfortable even when you sleep. All you need is a pair of the new Pajamas.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, May 31, 1904.

William F. Strangways to C I Nelk, lot 9, block O, Elk Hills tract, $10.

George F. Thompson and Ida M Thompson to J O Black, part lot 9, Thompson Bros subdivision, $10.

A E Wilson, Lizzie E Wilson, Mary E Wilson and J W Wilson to Amelia H Chalmers, part lots 29 and 31, block G, West Los Angeles tract, $10.

Harriet C Armstrong to Ebenezer G Woodward, lot 21, block F, Barrett Villa tract, $225.

Matthew Conway and Mary S Conway to Edwin Dunkerley, part lots 14 and 15, block 101, Bellevue Terrace tract, $10.

H M Russell and Laura B Russell to J H Braly, part lot 13, block D, Marengo tract, $900.

Mary A Craig to F J Hopwood, lot 24, Lincoln Park, $580.

Frank Wheeler and Hattie Wheeler to Mrs Ina M Evans, part lot 2, block 32, Long Beach, $10.

George W Stimson and Jennie W Stimson to John T Rowntree, part lot 2, block L, Colina Park tract, $13,500.

Philip L. Auten, known as Phillip L. Auten and Isabella Auten to Samuel Thompson Lewis, part lot 2 and all lot 3, and part lot 4, 61 Minilo tract, $10.

A K Nash, trustee, Mary H Parker and F A Parker to Henry C Lewis and Elizabeth H Lewis, part lots 25 and 27, block 6, Long Beach, $10.

Will A Strong and Emma Graves Strong to Anna Hatterlee, lot 2, block D, South Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

J Nelson Marsh and Mary Olive Marsh to William Sharpe, part farm lot 48, Alamitos tract, $1.

William Clague and Alice E Clague to B F Wright, same, $10.

J B Teagarden and Olive M Teagarden to Eliza A Earll, lot 5, James King tract, $10.

Benjamin A Earll to J B Teagarden and Olive M Teagarden, lot 1, range 12, Alhambra addition tract, $10.

James M Haven and Mary H Haven to Bettie E Lewis, lot 7, block 13, New York tract, $5.

Union Trust and Realty Company to Joseph S Glass, lot 31, block 6, Short Line Beach, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Virgil A Wattell, reconveyance of trust property.

Virgil A Wattell and Hattie Wattell to Elko B Dykinnzen and Emma Dykinnzen, lot 4, block C, Fort Hill tract, $10.

Milo N Miles and Alice A Miles to A H Hunt, part of section 17, 2 S 13, $10.

Mrs Ella M Hunt and A H Hunt to Milo N Miles, lots 8 and 9, Hafen tract, $10.

Alexander Schelling and Ursula Schelling to Elmira M Dickinson, lot 1, block B, Martin tract, $10.

Frederick C Case and Caroline H Case to Thos B Cavanaugh, agreement to convey lot 7, subdivision of lot 1, block D, San Pascual tract, $2250.

Alice L Kincaid to Frank J Lynn, lot 6, block 5, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $10.

Narcissa M Barker to Leanore Keeler, lot 4, Barker tract No 2, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Anna M Gill, lot 79, South Park-avenue Home tract, $10.

Grace B Willard to Mrs Agnes Scott, lot 27, A C Shafer's subdivision of block 6, in lot 8, block 79, Hancock's Survey, $10.

Charles J Willett and Hattie C Willett to Mary E Gaston and Gertrude L Graham, lot 28, Altadena Map 2, $10.

University of Southern California to H T Coffin and L Forrester, lot 8, block 4, Grange 4, Wilmington, $10.

William W Welton and Mary B Welton to Ebeneezer G Woodward, lot 22, block F, Barrett Villa tract, $200.

John P Jones and Georgina S Jones to F E Handy, lots T and U, block 133, Santa Monica, $10.

Sentinel Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company to A Parker, lots 1, 25, 26 and 35, and part lot 24, block 45, Long Beach, (said trustee joins as usual) $10.

Herman A Mosher and Gertrude S Mosher to William D Clark and Lana H Clark, lot 28, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Briswalter tract, $2000.

Freeman A Ford and William J Pierce to Belle H Dunn, lot 16 and right of way over lots A, B and C, W J Pierce tract, $25.

Charles W Hillier to George N Proat and Lizzie G Proat, part lot 13, Lampson & Watkins subdivision, $2350.

Blanche Lillian Smith Klein, formerly Blanche Lillian Smith, and Wilbur W Klein to Lee V Smith, part lot 8, Smith James tract, $10.

Palm Place Tract to Lewis C Carlisle, lot 18, block 6, and lot 9, block 4, Palm Place, $10.

Elizabeth Schwall and Lucian T Swall, sometimes written Schwall, and sometimes Swall, to Joseph A Swall, lots 3 and 4, Swall tract, $10.

A T Jergins and Effie L Jergins to Peter Muck, part lots 3 and 4, Akin & Cass subdivision, $1000.

Y H White and Julia A White to Elmira M Dickerson, lot 29, Josefa's subdivision, $10.

George S Marygold and Augustine F Marygold to C B Van Every, lot 54, block 13½, Anaheim Heights, $10.

Elizabeth Schwall and Joseph A Swall, sometimes written Schwall and sometimes written Swall, to Lucian T Swall, lot 3, Swall tract, $1.

Theron A Chaffee and Harriet I Chaffee to P T MacNeil, undivided ½ of part lot 24, block 6, Foot Hill tract, $10.

Clark H Bates to John S Palmer, agreement to convey lot 4, block L, Pellegsiar tract, $400.

Isaac Burke to Sarah Lincoln, part lot 11, Vawter's subdivision, $10.

Louis K Lorbeer and Ophelia J Lorbeer to Sarah R Lincoln, lots 23 and 24, block L, Vawter Ocean View tract, $400.

Anna Schmitz, John Schmitz, George W Dickinson and Frank R Strong to Homer C Huntington, lots 19 and 20, block A, Main Street Boulevard tract, $1200.

George F Conway to Sarah F Hinckley, lot 19, block A, Santa Fe tract, $10.

Theodore Wiesendanger to Sylvia J Vickers, lot 153, Wiesendangers South 23rd tract, $10.

Zeta Cooper Travis to M E Timmerhoff, lot 21, Inglewood Orange Orchard tract, $150.

William Brett and Ellen Brette to Newell A June, agreement to convey part lots 19 and 20, block 13, East Los Angeles, $725.

Robert Miller and Flora McFadden to P F Farrelly, part lot A, Mosher tract, $10.

George H Bixby and Amelia M E Bixby to J C Tomlinson, lot 22, block A, Johnson tract, $10.

J C Tomlinson and Sarah M Tomlinson to Carey W Iler, part of lot 22, block A, Johnson tract, $10.

George H Bixby and Amelia M E Bixby to T A Stevens, lots 3 and 4, block A, Johnson tract, $10.

Carey W Iler to J C Tomlinson, lot 21, block A, Johnson tract, $10.

Oliver B Patch to Ancil Stump, lots 1 and 10, block 8, New York tract, $10.

Millie R Miner and Wilber T Miner to John S Forster, part lot 6, block 5, Jefferson-street tract, $10.

Wilbur R Goodwin and Alice W Goodwin to Cassius Edmunds, lots 2 and 4, block 62, Burbank, $10.

Mary H Richards and T W T Richards to Urania Edmunds, lots 17 and 19, block 23, Burbank, $100.

Gervaise Purcell and Helen A Purcell to Robert C York and Mrs Julia Long, lot 21, block 2, East San Pedro, $10.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to H G Cochran, part lot 170, sec H, Rosedale Cemetery, $40.

Fred W Pearson and Minnie C Pearson to White Star Fuel Co., agreement to convey lot 7, Wadsworth & Hollister tract, $50,000.

Maude A Rust and James P Rust to Anna N Gibson, lot 10, block F, Workman Park tract, $450.

John J Charnock to Theodore E Haas, part Rancho La Ballona, $10.

John J G McDonald to Annie E Kyle, lot 19, J G McDonald tract, $10.

Daniel B Baker and Cemantha J Baker to Charles O Goodwin, lot 26, block J, Nadeau Orange tract, $10.

Robert Bullis to Mary D Thayer, lots 4 and 5, block E, Bonnie Brae tract, $24,500.

Frances G Gephard to J R Toberman, lot 2, block D, South Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

Clara Stevens to Frances E Pancoast, lots 2 and 4, Alhambra Avenue addition to Long Beach, $250.

Mrs E C Maip to Daniel P Dutton, lot 61, block B, Riggins Bros. subdivision Grogan tract, $525.

W Scott, D C Scott, Mrs Elizabeth Scott and Mary B Scott to Amanda W Scott, tract described in D, to John G Scott, 11-81 Alessandro Well tract, $400.

Deeds; also all interest in all property of which John G Scott died seized, and all interest in estate of John G Scott, $1.

Louise B Clary to Corydon S Richmond, lots 26 and 27, Penny rac, $1250.

Ernest L Wildy and Willie H Wildy to Muriel Edith Evans, part sec 13, 1 S 9, $10.

Armando Amati and Nellie Amati to Rosita R Martinez, lot 2 block D, Elliot's, Ninth Street tract, $10.

George W Clark and W S Collins to J W Boyd, agreement to convey lot 5, block M, Ocean Pier tract, Long Beach, $2000.

Same to same, agreement to convey lot 28 and part lot 29, block M, same tract, $2114.

Same to same, agreement to convey lots 2, 3 and 4, block M, same tract, $2165.

James Kilford and Louisa Kilford to Bertha S Cotton, lots 15, 17, 18, resubdivision of lot 37, L Higbie & Co's tract, $100.

John P Coleman to Stephen Bowers, undivided ¼ interest in part sec 27 and 28, 2 N 17, $10.

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Valentine Peyton and Emma Peyton to William J Fugua, part lot 12, Swan Ranch subdivision, $2619.

W M Varney, Nettie A Varney, Stephen Townsend, Anna M Townsend, Frank S Robinson and Minnie A Robinson to W L Cuthbert and Chloe N Cuthbert, part lots 4 and 9, block 7, Townsend-Robinson tract, $10.

Sullivan Burgess and Sarah Jane Burgess to Silas N Burgess, lot 4, block 221, Los Angeles Olive Growers' Association lands, $2.

Mary A Hendrie, Keziah Henarie, L D Radgesky, Maude H Norton and Edward A Norton to J E Manning, lots 800 and 801, Chicago Park tract, South Monrovia; lots 5, 6, 47 and 14, block C, lots 8 to 11, block V, East Los Angeles View tract; lot 24, 7 A Weir's subdivision, $10.

J E Manning to Maude H Norton, same, $10.

Bradley Butterfield to Lillian M Peach, part lot 28, block 2, subdivision of lot 8, block 32, Hancock's survey, $1,000.

John W Buchanan and Pauline Buchanan to Catherine F O'Neil, lot 12, block 2, Fred L Lee's subdivision, $10.

Jacob Jensen and Mildred Glass Jensen to Augusta L. Gauger, lot 17, block 2, South Bonnie Brae tract, $2500.

Bernhard Dutin and Hannah E Dutin to George P Fischer, part sec 12, 1 S 14, $10.

Joseph Endy and Milla Endy to Carl Matson, agreement to convey lots 4, 5 and part lot block 241, Inglewood, $1500.

Albert W Dickinson and Lilia Dickinson to C M Jay, lot 12, block 41, Ralph Rogers's subdivision of Sayanna, $10.

Cotton A Smith to Mrs Frances Wilson, lot 21 and part lot 21, block B, Main Street Boulevard tract, $1750.

Alamitos Land Company to Estelle Unger, part lot 62, Alamitos tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Edward T Dougherty, lots 76 and 77, Central Avenue Home tract, $10.

D R Brearley and Mary F Brearley to William Sy Sunshaugh, lots 2 and 3, block 8, Brearley & Sunshaugh tract, $30.

Mrs Ruth C Fassett to D G Howarth and Jennie S Howarth, lots 73 and 74, Newmark, $600.

Los Angeles Trust Company, trustee of estate of R P Creasinger, bankrupt, to W B Byram, lots 28, 29 and part lot 21, revised map of Vineland of Azusa, $1200.

John G Palmer to Ida R Palmer, lots 12, 13 and 15, Tabernacle tract; also commencing at point in south line block 79, Long Beach, 115 feet east of southwest corner of said, etc, gift.

Olive Hillis and Nellie Silpie to John Otis, lot 9, block 26, Alosta, $10.

Mrs Emma E Myers and George R Myers to George H Darrow, lots 11 and 12, block 123, Long Beach, $200.

George M Peck, Jr., Olive M Peck and Lulu Kelly to Benjamin T Cross, lot 3, Peck's subdivision lots 1 and 3, block 27, San Pedro, $100.

Alfred B Fraser, G M Jones and H H Gage to Julia E Dotson, lot 29 and part lots 31 and 32, block 9, Bay View tract, $2500.

A R Fraser, G M Jones and H H Gage to Julia E Dotson, lot 1, block 3, Crescent Bay tract, $25.

J M Flowers and Mazzie N Flowers to Mary Moore and John A Moore, agreement to convey lot 18, block B, Estella tract, $1075.

Clarence U Hart and Carl F Raab, trustee, to Carl F Raab, individually, part lot 16, block B, Raab's subdivision of part of San Pascual Rancho, $300.

Siegbez Buhr and Veronica Buhr to John H F Peck, lot 23, Peck & Kerckhoff's subdivision of block 55, San Pedro, $10.

Alma A Crawford to Frances M Crawford, lot 1, block C, Studebaker addition, Monrovia; also one acre immediately north of and adjoining said lot 1.

Alma A Crawford to Frances M Crawford, lots 2 and 3, block C, Studebaker addition to Monrovia, $1.

Clara S Rosewater to Milton Metzler, lots 1 and 9, William Lacy's subdivision of block 17, $10.

R Henry C Green, Mary A Green, Mary J Duvall and Richard Duvall to Edwin T Duvall, lot 28, Strong & Dickinson's Central-avenue tract, $10.

M N Avery, trustee, to Charles L Waasman, part lot 66, McDonald tract, $10.

Carrie Roose to Alfred D Gaynor, lots 37 and 38, block 5, Stanton tract, $10.

G B Teedrick and Lucy E Teedrick to Arthur T Bundy, lot 21, Hardin tract, $10.

Prudential Improvement Company to Charles Salsbury, reconveyance of lot 29, Green's Central-avenue tract.

Sabina E Tompkins to Miss Mary Sallie Tompkins, lot 279, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Briswalter tract, gift.

Total, $157,685.

THE WONDER.

If death is death, as some men say,
Why then the sunset fair?
Why all the joy of break of day—
With balm to cure our care:

The wonder is if death is all,
And ends creation's strife,
How came sweet Hope on us to call,
And how indeed came life?

—[William Brunton in Springfield Republican

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Today we offer many lines of attractive, desirable dress fabrics for summer wear. Materials that will wash and wear in a satisfactory manner. Weaves and colors that bear the approval of Dame Fashion at prices that ring with true economy. Many of these items are specially priced for today's selling, so an immediate response is advisable.

Silk fancies; very sheer, with rich embroidered stripes; a highly mercerized silk mixed material in the most popular evening shades; regularly priced at 45c. A leader in wash goods section, aisle 3, today, yd **29c**

Satin striped dimity, a finely woven dimity with satin stripe, best of colors; regular price 25c. Today, in aisle 3, per yard **19c**

Madras batiste, a beautiful mercerized material in corded stripes, two and three-tone effects, suitable for waists or full costumes; an excellent value 20c. On sale today, with a limit of 12 yards to a customer, per yard **12½c**

Standard dress prints in a large assortment of patterns; regular 6½c value; a limit of 12 yards to a customer. Today, in aisle 5, per yard **4¾c**

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If you're contemplating the purchase of a summer costume and haven't decided just how you want it made, you'll find some timely suggestions and helps in the current number of the Standard Fashion Sheet; they are absolutely free. Standard patterns have seam allowances and accurate information in regard to quantities of materials and trimmings necessary.

Household Linens at a Saving
Linen Department Rear of Aisle 5

37-inch half bleached table damask; soft, firm weave; excellent patterns; a quality usually sold at 45c. Today, per yard **32½c**

66-inch loom damask; extra heavy weight in block pattern; just the thing for restaurants and hotels; a bargain at 65c. Today, per yard **53c**

Bed spreads; full size; firm quality; hemmed ends; floral and scroll patterns; regular $1.25 grade. Today, each **98c**

Good Bed Sheets Ready to Use 39c
Good strong sheets of finely woven muslin; size 81x90 in. Torn by hand; good 3 in. hems; these sell regularly at 45c, and are a decided bargain at that price. Today in aisle 6 with a limit of 6 sheets to a customer, each, 39c.

Pillow Cases Nicely Finished 8½c
Good pillow cases; made from smooth muslin, torn by hand and well hemmed; size 45x36 in. Actually worth 12½c. On sale today in aisle 6 with a limit of a dozen to a customer, each, 8½c.

Millinery Bargains

Untrimmed shapes; Milan and Italian braids; some made over frames; popular colors; values to $3.48. To-day, each, **$1.48**

Chiffon and maline shapes; desirable styles; some with straw crowns; good colors; values up to $2.48. To-day, each, **98c**

Choice trimmed hats; Tuscan, Milan and Cuban braids; new and stylish patterns; elaborate trimmings of flowers, foliage and ornaments; values up to $7.50. Today, each **$2.98**

Basement Bargains

Mason's Fruit Jars; positively the best made; machine blowed; smooth finish tops with porcelain lined caps; priced as follows:
Pint size 55c dozen.
Quart size 65c dozen.
Half gallon size 90c dozen.

Tin topped jelly glasses; smooth finish, good and strong; today, per dozen **29c**

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	72	58	65	New York	76	64	70
Washington	84	68	75	Buffalo	62	50	56
Pittsburgh	74	62	68	Cincinnati	80	60	70
Chicago	48	42	45	St. Paul	74	54	64
St. Louis	68	56	62	Kansas City	78	58	68
Los Angeles	74	50	62	Jacksonville	84	78	81

*The maximum is for May 30; the minimum for May 31. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 31.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.94; at 5 p.m., 29.89. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 53 deg. and 68 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 88 per cent.; 5 p.m., 60 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity light; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 10 miles. Maximum temperature, 73 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Within the past twenty-four hours, rain has fallen generally from the Coast to the Upper Missouri Valley north of the fortieth parallel. It was raining in Northern California and Oregon at 5 a.m. Generally fair weather is reported from stations south of the fortieth parallel, though there is some cloudiness along the coast. Low temperatures are noted in Southern Utah and Northern Arizona.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Weather conditions and general forecast: The pressure is rising slowly along the coast of California, but owing to the presence of an extensive depression over the intermountain section and northward along the Rocky Mountain region, unsettled weather is likely to continue over the greater portion of the Coast. Forecast:

For Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Wednesday; possibly showers in morning; light south wind, changing to fresh north.

Fresno and vicinity: Cloudy Wednesday; showers in the mountains; fresh north wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Wednesday; light southerly winds, changing to brisk northwest.

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Wednesday, with showers in northern portion and in the mountains; light southerly winds, changing to fresh northerly.

Southern California: Cloudy Wednesday; fresh southwest winds.

Nevada: Cloudy, unsettled weather Wednesday.

Arizona: Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

YUMA (Ariz.) May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gauge height of Colorado River, 25.30 feet.

Liners.

Telephone your want advertisement, ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rates, one cent a word each insertion, minimum charge, 25c.

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JIM'S HOTEL, A GOOD PLACE TO GET A first-class Chinese dinner; Chinese noodles, chop suie, etc., served every evening from 6 p.m., all night; everything first-class; cozy dining-room for ladies and gentlemen; give us a trial. 301 COMMERCIAL ST. 'Phone Sunset Main 2743. 1

WANTED—COMPETENT MECHANICS IN the manufacture and installation of gas and electric fixtures; only those loyal to the open-shop method need apply. For further particulars call or address W. G. HUTCHISON CO., 507 S. Spring st. 527-531 Santee st. 7

M. L. WICKS IS WILLING TO DIVIDE A good thing. He does not want the last dollar a lot may be worth. See his advertisement in City Lots, and see him. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block, Second and Broadway. 3

TO THE PUBLIC—I hereby serve notice that I will not be responsible for any debts for merchandise of any description, or any debts of whatever nature, contracted by Mrs. W. O. Randolph. W. O. RANDOLPH. 1

M. L. WICKS BUYS REAL ESTATE RIGHT —to subdivide and sell right, but no fancy priced properties. See his advertisement in City Lots. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., room 128, Hellman Block. 3

M. L. WICKS OFFERS CITY LOTS AT prices to make them move. You can afford to buy a lot of him. Certificate of title furnished free with lot. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block. 3

"SPEKE," BRITISH SHIP, CAPT. STOTT, from Antwerp. Neither captain nor undersigned will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew. WHEELER BROS., Agents.

FOR SALE—DANCING MASTERS, ATTENTION; here is an opportunity to buy a dancing academy which is paying a profit of $300 per month; worth $2000; for $500 cash; must be sold within 2 days. WRIGHT & CO., 108 S. Broadway. 1

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpet cleaning, upholstering and repairing. We buy and sell carpets. 627 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217; Home 217.

ALLEN'S MATTRESS FACTORY AND UPHOLSTERY. New and repair work; also carpets cleaned and laid. 536 NEW HIGH ST. 'Phone Main 1753.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR PERMANENTLY removed; absolute guarantee. LUCY & ALDRICH, room 42, Hotel Savoy, corner Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTS TO HAVE your hats cleaned at 208 W. SIXTH. 'Phone Red 2586. Panama hats a specialty. The old reliable.

TUBERCULAR PATIENTS CAN RECEIVE every care and attention at reasonable rates at 1301 S. HOPE ST. 'Phone West 48; Home 2836.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets; upholstering and repairing. 329 E. 4th. Tel. Main 715, Home 715.

THE BARBER RUG FACTORY HAS MOVED to 1668-1670 W. WASHINGTON. 'Phone West 5408. Ingrain, Brussels and rag rugs woven.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1103 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1163; Home 8081.

ELYSIAN PRIVATE HOSPITAL. High and dry—just the place for bronchitis and consumption. Home 'Phone 1376. 1

BORDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER; BEST paint, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 3841; James 3371. MRS. HEATH.

RATE FOR ADS UNDER THIS HEADING 10c per line, minimum charge 30c.

ROSE PURITY WATER, 5 GALLONS 20c. 'PHONE EAST 53; HOME 2071.

SOCIETY MEETINGS—

BANQUET OPENING OF NEW DINING-room of Olivet Congregational Church, cor. Washington st. and Magnolia ave., Friday, June 3, 6:30 p.m. Banquet tickets, 50c. After-dinner speeches, wit and humor, by various pastors, and music, elocution, etc., in the auditorium, 8 p.m. Silver offering. 2

MRS. ANNIE RIX MILITZ WILL LECTURE at the HOME OF TRUTH, 1327 Georgia st., every afternoon at 2 and every evening at 8 (except Sundays) for two weeks, commencing Monday, June 6. The public is cordially invited. No charge for admission. 2

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SOCIETY MEETINGS—

THOSE WHO STUTTER OR STAMMER can have one free treatment this week at PROF. TRIPP'S PHYSICAL CULTURE SCHOOL, 313½ S. Spring. Free lectures every night.

PERSONAL—
Business.

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PERSONAL—REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS and others: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

PERSONAL—YOUR HAND READ BY PROF. ALTHOUSE, palmist, pronounced by hundreds of the best intellects, as Ella Wheeler Wilcox, E. H. Sothern, Mme. Modjeska, etc., whose hands he has read, as the finest reader in this country; patronage of intelligent classes only solicited. 423 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. SUNSET PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, PALMIST. Life reading, business, lawsuits, removals, travels, mineral locations described, property speculations, love, health and all affairs in life. 416½ S. SPRING ST., room 3. 50c and $1. 7

PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON, THE NOTED London palmist, is at 322 S. Spring st. Readings are conscientious and scientific, and give the precise information you desire. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — THE BRALY BLDG. BANK fixtures are samples of our work. CALIFORNIA FURNITURE POLISHING CO., 109 W. 7th st., bet. Main and Spring.

PERSONAL — STAMMERING TREATED successfully. Apply to MRS. E. M. RICHARDSON, 216 E. 31st. 4

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 331½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

PERSONAL—RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS heading, 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

116 and 118 East Second Street, Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast. TELEPHONE MAIN 509. HOME 509.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Man and wife, ranch cook, $60 etc.; boy, learn blacksmith trade; married man, orchard, $35 and house; man for heating plant, $30 etc.; blacksmith, city, $2.50; boy, ranch, $15 etc.; floor man, B. S. shop, 25c hour; gasoline engineer, pump plant, $4; forger, oil-well tools, $4; floor man, foundry, $3; floor moulder; bench moulder; married man, dairy, $40 and house; blacksmith, $3 to $3.50 day; ranch hands, $32.50 etc. month; man and wife, dairy, cook, $50 etc.; men for hay press, 12½c ton; Italian muckers; man, build pot kiln and burn lime rock; cart man, quarry, $30 etc.; butcher, $15 week; mine blacksmith, $2.50 and board; milkers, $35 etc.; muckers, mine, $2.50; granite drillers, $2.75; 50 ranch hands, $30 etc.; 25 men for haying, $1.25 etc.; 10 ranch teamsters, $1.25 etc.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Mining camp cook, $70 etc.; man and wife, hotel, $70 etc.; man and wife, camp cooks, $70 etc.; all-around cook, $50 etc.; second cook, camp, $35 and $40; ranch cook, $30 etc.; second cook, cook, $40 etc., N. M., free fare; bell boy, $12 etc.; restaurant waiter, beach, $35 etc.; hotel porters, $25 and $25 etc.; camp flunkeys, $25 etc.; candy maker, $12 etc.; all-around kitchen man, $30 etc.; dishwashers, $7 and $8, and $25 and $30 etc.

HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

Family cooks and housegirls, city and country, $25 and $30; cook and second girl, $50 etc.; girls to assist, $25 and $20 etc.

WOMAN'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPARTMENT.

Hotel cook, Imperial, $45 etc.; waitresses, Monrovia, $25 etc.; another, Azusa, $25 etc.; Ventura, $25 etc.; Hot Springs, $25 etc.; 10 waitresses for beach resort for June, $30, $25 etc.; restaurant waitresses, city, $8 week, chambermaid, Santa Barbara, $30 etc.; scrub woman for hotel, $25 etc.

1 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED—MEN. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, 211 EAST FIRST ST., teaches the barber trade in 8 weeks and guarantees positions; all expenses made while learning; only college in California with constant practice, combination case, leather upholstered revolving chairs, hot water and expert instructors; no similar institution in Los Angeles; established 12 years; all principal cities; beware of cheap imitators with borrowed furniture, little experience and no capital. Call or write for particulars. 6

WANTED—BARBER TRADE TAUGHT BY our new method, which enables student to earn wages while learning. Latest, best-equipped and oldest-established college on this Coast. Special inducements to apprentices and graduates of other colleges who wish to become proficient. Constant practice under competent instruction and a position at full barbers' wages guaranteed when competent. For full particulars, call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main, near Plaza. 4

WANTED—JAPANESE HELP! HELP!! HELP!!! PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 631 W. SIXTH ST. Home Cleaning Department. 'Phones Home 1078, Main 1714. JAPAN PRODUCT COMPANY. Every department insures responsibility. Ranch work by contract. 7

WANTED—HELP. M. E. MISSION JAPANESE MIKADO EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, West 579. Home 2753. Select all kinds of most reliable help. House-cleaning Department. 983 S. BROADWAY. 3

WANTED—CLERICAL HELP, MEN WITH experience and good ability to fill the position applied for; book-keepers, stenographers, office assistants of all kinds, salesmen for inside and outside, shipping and entry clerks; delivery men and other reliable business help. Call personally for terms. 215 COPP BLDG. 1

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 125 West Ninth st. Cooks, waiters, porters and all kinds of help furnished. TEL. HOME 4690. MAIN 2538.

WANTED—MEN TO BEWARE OF UNRELIABLE barber colleges without experience or capital; one of these so-called barber colleges has already failed, and the students are now in MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, 211 E. First st. Established 12 years. All principal cities. 6

WANTED—JAPAN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 543 S. OLIVE ST. MAIN 1947, HOME 5718. We furnish Japanese and Chinese help. The oldest and largest agency in the city.

WANTED — CARRIAGE BLACKSMITH, city, $3 a day; 2 men for wholesale house, heavy work, $2 a day; ranch hands at $1.25 a day and board; laborers, city, $1.75 a day; young man for country place, kitchen work, $15 and charge. 103 N. L. A. ST. 1

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. 233 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly. TEL. MAIN 2764. HOME 5252. Most reliable agency in city.

WANTED—RANCH HAND, WHO UNDERstands orchard work, irrigating, and milking; want married man with small family; house of 4 rooms to live in. Address Ranch, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena. 1

WANTED—DRUMMER, KODAC SALESman, clothier, floorwalker, carpenter, store porter, draughtsman, office; grocer; machinist; teamsters; designer; packers. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 3

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND COLLECTOR, an opportunity for rapid advancement to splendid position; must be good at mathematics. Call at 10 a.m., ADAMS MFG. CO., 742 S. Main st. 1

WANTED — HARDWARE AND STOVE salesman; please state experience, where last employed, age and wages expected. Address MATHES HARDWARE CO., 751 Fifth st., San Diego, Cal. 1

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FIRE INSURance solicitor and real estate man can make a good contract with a reliable firm by calling at room 1, FRATERNAL BLDG., 447 S. Main st. 2

WANTED—A TIN-TYPE OUTFIT, COMplete, and operator that understands the business. Call or address MR. DUFFEY, Long Beach, Tin-Type Gallery, No. 1, on beach. 2

WANTED—ONE CITY AND ONE TRAVELing salesman, experienced, immediately; $3 per day. W. L. GREEN, 373 E. Oak st., Portland, Or. 1

WANTED — MEN, WESTERN CANADA, free government land; rich soil; no irrigating; maps, pamphlets, special railway rates. Apply or write A. H. M'GAFFIN, 305½ S. Spring st. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WISHING TO learn poultry business, to work for breeder, city yards, low wages, good chance to learn. Address O, box 33, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — A STRONG BOY ABOUT 16 years to work in overall factory; must reside with parents. Call at BOSS OVERALL FACTORY, 344 New High st., near Temple. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO SHARE SIX weeks' CAMPING TRIP to Yosemite, who can accompany with guitar or banjo, start tomorrow, four of us. 335 S. SPRING. 1

WANTED — MEN TO WORK ON HAY balers, 15 cents per ton; season's work; carpenters, $3 per day. Call early, 129 N. Main st. THE HELPMATE. 1

WANTED—A TEAMSTER TO DRIVE LUMber wagon; must know the town. Call 1346 NEWTON ST., after 6 p.m., or before 7 a.m. 'Phone Home 3871. 2

WANTED—SALESMEN TO SELL GOODS to grocery dealers, $75 per month and traveling expenses paid; experience unnecessary. PURITY CO., Chicago.

WANTED—3 FIRST-CLASS GASOLINE ENgineers for pumping plants, $3 to $4 day. Call early. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116-118 E. Second st. 1

WANTED—GOOD STENOGRAPHER AND office assistant, out of town, large concern; salary $60 to $75. Apply at once. 327 BYRNE BLOCK. 1

WANTED—MAN TO CARE FOR 2 HORSES and do general work, must be good, sober man, none other need apply. 1316 VERMONT AVE. 2

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DO LIGHT janitor work for his tuition at the WOODBURY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 809 S. Hill st. 7

WANTED—MAN WITH 4-HORSE TEAM can get steady work in city by calling on ice delivery system. 815 SHORT ST. 1

WANTED—TEAMSTER FOR HAY HAULing, steady job to right party. CENTRAL FEED AND FUEL CO., 1128 San Pedro. 1

WANTED—LATHERS WANTED HERE IN the city to lath by the yard. Call at once, 222 GRANT BLDG. 'Phone Home 2009. 1

WANTED—TEAMSTER TO HAUL 35 TO 40 cords of wood by contract. Call 2170 SUNSET BLVD., or phone James 4831. 1

WANTED—MAN ACQUAINTED WITH HOtel and restaurant trade to sell staple line. Call forenoons, 219 E. FOURTH ST. 2

WANTED — A NO. 1 COAT OPERATOR, good pay, only first-class man need apply. Address O, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 17 YEARS OLD TO learn plumbing trade. Apply between 7 and 8 a.m., 2167 W. ADAMS ST. 2

WANTED—ANOTHER CANDY MAKER. Apply this a.m. at CRYSTAL SPECIALTY CO., Central ave. and 18th. 31

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN DRUG BUSIness, start at $6 a week. Apply 2216 S. GRAND, today at 10 a.m. 1

WANTED—2 NEWS AGENTS FOR SALT Lake trains; experienced. Apply at news stand, SALT LAKE DEPOT. 1

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGrapher, young man preferred. ALDERSON & SONS, 305 Laughlin Bldg. 1

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HAT AND furnishing goods salesman. R. J. BUSCH, Second and Broadway. 1

WANTED—2 PICK AND SHOVEL MEN. Corner W. PICO and HARVARD BLVD. See new house building. 1

WANTED—CARRIAGE WOOD WORKER at LLOYD'S CARRIAGE WORKS, 227 Requena st. 3

WANTED—MANUFACTURING JEWELER, good wages to the right man. Room 515, BRYSON BLDG. 2

WANTED—NON-UNION WAITERS AT CITY Bakery, Fresno. Address KOHLER & PICKFORD.

WANTED—A GOOD BARBER. CORNER WASHINGTON and SAN PEDRO. Wages guaranteed. 2

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY TO WORK EVENings. WILD WEST GALLERY, 110 N. Main st. 1

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FINISHER ON custom coats. A. GOLDBERG, 108 West Third. 2

WANTED—MAN OR BOY TO CUT LAWN; must have mower; $1. 1146 S. FLOWER ST. 1

WANTED — PUDDLER. ADDRESS P.O. BOX 987, giving experience, references, etc. 2

WANTED—SOMEONE TO CUT LAWN. Must bring lawn mower. 3081 E. 6TH ST. 1

WANTED—MEN AND LADIES LEARN barber trade for $10. 122 E. SECOND ST. 6

WANTED—TWO GOOD NON-UNION CARpenters, 714 S. FIGUEROA ST. 2

WANTED—2 GOOD CARPENTERS. 1915 TEMPLE ST., Wednesday.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHILD'S nurse with references, $35; another with upstairs work, $25; another, Santa Monica, $25; another to assist in care of infant, $15; cook and second girl, city, $35, $25; German cook for four, $35; another, $30; cook and second girl, Catalina, $35, $25; ranch cook, $35; another, similar, $35; five second girls, $25, $30; housegirls, city, $30, $25; extra long list; 2 housegirls, 3 in family, Pasadena, $30; housegirl, 2 in family, $30; family cook, for 2, $30. MRS. HAWLEY and FORGRAVE, 254 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS. Female Department, Ramona Block, Spring and Third sts., rooms 22-23. Phone Main 2996, Home 1872. Women, general housework, city, $25 to $30; county, $30; arm waitress, city, $8 to $10; nurse girl, city, $15; short-order cook, city, $9; tray waitress, city, $25; girls to assist light housework, $15 to $20; good colored cook, city, $25; colored chamber maid country, $25; seamstress, $1.50 per day; man and wife, ranch work, $40; laundress for Merced. 1

WANTED—COOK, FAMILY, CITY, $40; INfant's nurse, $1 day; cook, family, beach later, $30; cook and second girl, plain place, $50; mother and daughter, country, $50; housegirl, 3 in family, cottage, $30; housegirl, family 2, Hollywood, $30; housegirl, city, close in, $30; colored housegirl, family 3, $30; cook, small hotel, country, $40; assist care of baby, $15; cook, institution, $35; cook, family 2, for summer, $30. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's Office, 121½ S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 S. BROADWAY. PHONES M. 1820, HOME $425. Family cooks, city, $40, $35 and $25; girls for cooking and downstairs work, $30 and $25; girl for general housework, city, $30, $25 and $20; Ocean Park, $30 and $25; Hollywood, $25 and $20; nurse girl and upstairs work, $25; hand ironer; waitresses, $8 and $9. 1

WANTED—THE HELPMATE, 120 N. Main st. 'Phones Main 3003, Home 9027. 'Phone your wants. Cook for private family, $30; Swede or German cook, country place, $30; another, $20; girls to assist, $15 to $25; waitress, $8; another, $10; dishwashers, $7 and $8; girl for second work, $25; colored girl for general work, $25.

WANTED—GIRL, WASH DISHES AND wait on table, small hotel, $25 and found; colored chambermaid, $25 and found; assistant cashier and seat people, hotel, $9; 2 waitresses, $8, no Sunday work. MARKS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 125 E. Second. Both 'Phones 465. 1

WANTED—COOK, BEACH, $30; SECOND girls and cooks, beach, $25; $15; short-order cook, $10; chambermaid, $35; to assist on ranch, $20; ranch cook, $25; nursegirl, beach, $25; housework, $25. MRS. KIEFFER, 321½ S. Spring st., room 10. Home 'Phone 2429. 1

WANTED—IN OCEAN PARK, SANTA MONica, Redondo and other beach towns, energetic lady to aid in organizing a lodge of a first-class fraternal order; cash for results. Call or address J. P. GARDNER, 11 Ozone, Ocean Park. 1

WANTED—FLORIST, ATTENDANT, MILlinery, salesladies, notions, druggists, sundries, bakery, confectionery, clerks, office work; dressmaker, waitress, laundress, chambermaid. NITTINGERS, 252½ South Main. 3

WANTED—A LADY TO ADDRESS ENvelopes by the thousand; must write a good Spencerian hand; also a typist with experience; no dictation. Call this morning, 1114 S. GRAND AVE. 1

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED GERMAN WOMan single preferred to run a paying boarding house, near city. Address Correspondence, 2 M. H. and F. Postoffice box 536. 2

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERT FIRST-class hair dresser; good position for one thoroughly competent. WEAVER-JACKSON HAIR CO., 443 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY AND RELIable lady wanted to assist in the running of a tamale stand at Anaheim, Cal. Address A. F. DETER, Anaheim. 1

WANTED—WOMAN TO COOK, WASH AND do housework. Family of three; 30 minutes ride from Los Angeles. State wages. Address Box 78, PALMS, Cal. 1

WANTED—FEMALE EMPLOYMENT, 453½ S. Broadwy., next to fruit store, room 18. Cook and second girl, $30, $25; general housework; no washing, $25. 5

WANTED — LADY HOUSEKEEPER TO serve ice cream and coffee, cold lunches. Apply in person; No. 18, west of Bathhouse, LONG BEACH. 1

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and willing to help with baby a year old; wages $25. Call mornings 732 S. ALVARADO ST. 2

WANTED—10 YOUNG WOMEN AND ONE young man to enter the nurses' training school, Emergency and General Hospital, 418 CROCKER ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, family of adults; no baking; no laundry. Call at once, morning, 643 WEST 22D. 'Phone 7754. 1

WANTED—LADY SOLICITOR AT ONCE, NO experience necessary, good salary, guaranteed. Call 319 OCEAN AVE., Long Beach, room 3. 1

WANTED—FIRST CLASS BUTTON HOLE hand, good wages, steady employment. BRAUER & KROHN, Tailors, 128-130 S. Spring st. 1

WANTED—2 NEAT RELIABLE GIRLS, 1 for cooking and downstairs work, other for upstairs work. Apply 731 S. GRAND AVE. 1

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, family of 3, no washing, also second girl, $25. 452½ South Broadway, ROOM 16. 1

WANTED—AT ONCE, BRIGHT OFFICE girl with some knowledge of shorthand and typewriter. Call 219 STIMSON BLDG. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FINISHER ON custom coats; must know how to make hand buttonholes. 313½ S. SPRING, room 2. 3

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 123½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, 2 in family, $20. 1440 W. 29TH ST. Call Tuesday before 3 o'clock. 1

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST WITH housework, and care of baby. Apply at once, 1500 VERMONT AVE. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CLOAK AND suit saleladies. Apply PARIS CLOAK & SUIT CO., 252 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Must be a good cook; small family. 521 S. FIGUEROA. 3

WANTED—FIRST CLASS BUTTON HOLE maker, on custom coats, steady work. 114 S. SPRING ST. Room 17. 7

WANTED—COLORED WAITER FOR PRIvate family; colored women cooks, $25 and $30. 428 CENTRAL AVE. 1

WANTED—YOUNG GIRLS TO LINE ON custom vests. FLETCHER TAILORING CO., 343 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, references required. Call mornings at 822 BEACON ST. 1

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, small family. Wages $20, etc. 980 W. 29TH ST. 31

WANTED — BUSHELING GIRLS ON cloaks and suits; good pay. Apply 349 S. BROADWAY. 3

WANTED—SHIRT FOLDER; ALSO GIRL for baby mangle. MUNGER'S LAUNDRY, 814 S. Main. 2

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO CHAMBERwork ½ day, $4 a week and 2 meals. 323½ S. SPRING. 1

WANTED—LADIES TO LEARN BARBER trade. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, 211 E. First. 11

WANTED — GOOD STRONG GIRL FOR general housework; good wages. 1006 S. HOPE. 31

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SKIRT MAKers; highest prices paid. 327 E. SIXTH ST. 1

WANTED—GIRL FOR UPSTAIR WORK forenoons, 4 in family. Call 750 BEACON ST. 2

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in family of 3. 1323 ORANGE ST. 1

WANTED—A GIRL TO SEW ON VESTS at once. 316½ S. SPRING, room 29. 2

WANTED—A FINISHER ON LADIES' coats. Apply 602½ S. BROADWAY. 2

WANTED—NURSEGIRL TO ASSIST IN care of baby. 1051 S. GRAND. 1

WANTED — WOMAN COOK; SMALL RESTaurant. 1063½ E. SEVENTH. 1

WANTED—WOMEN OR GIRL TO DO housework. 2920 S. MAIN. 2

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST IN BOARDing-house. 924 MACY ST. 31

WANTED—A SEAMSTRESS. 1818 LINWOOD AVE. 3

WANTED—SEWING GIRL. 116 S. SPRING. 1

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—THE HELPMATE, 120 N. MAIN, furnishes reliable help, male and female. 'Phone your wants, Main 3003, Home 9027. If you want work call early Monday. 30

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE FOR AN ORange grove, 6 miles from city; wife to cook for 4, man to care for orchard; no children. Call 103 N. L. A. ST. 1

WANTED—SHOE WORKERS: EXPERIenced operators, men and women. Apply O. M. KUTZ SHOE CO., San Francisco. 3

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A CAPABLE young man of 35 with good business ability and commercial knowledge, resident of city; I can furnish best of references. Address O, box 43, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK IN LOS Angeles or elsewhere; 3 years' experience; nearly two in this State; can do good work and lots of it. Please address M, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS SOLICITOR WITH wholesale or retail house; experienced and have good references; acquainted in city and outside towns. Address O, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY JAPANESE WHO WISHES to do cooking or ranch work in country or to get a position as porter or houseworker in city. Tel. Home 5380. INO, 605 South Grand ave. 2

WANTED—JAPANESE HOUSE CLEANING CO. Wants position as housework or help in kitchen; plain cook. Address 226 NORTH WILMINGTON ST., city. 'Phone Main 2940. 7

WANTED—SITUATION, MORNINGS ONLY, as assistant book-keeper, clerk or solicitor by young man, employed during afternoons. Address O, box 35, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF MECHANICAL ability desires position in bicycle or automobile repair shop to learn trade. Address O, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — SITUATION; COMPETENT book-keeper is open for engagement; reliable, trustworthy and a man of some means. Address 932 SANTEE ST. 4

WANTED—JOBS ON FINE LAWNS, FLOWer gardens, etc., by an experienced, well-recommended gardener. Address O, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN, MARried, good gardener, handy with tools, wants work; references. Address O, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — CARPENTER WANTS WORK in country, Mexico, Arizona or Lower California; steady man. Address L, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — CARPENTER WANTS COUNtry work; steady and faithful; plenty tools; go any distance. Address N, box 76, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS coachman, years of experience; highly recommended. Address O, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STEADY POSITION AS CARpenter and painter by a man of experience and good habits. Address O, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — A STRONG BOY, 17 YEARS old, living with his family, desires a position in the mechanical trade. 650 S. HOPE ST. 1

WANTED—BRICK WORK CONTRACT OR day, satisfaction guaranteed. Address BRICKLAYER, 619 S. Hill, Telephone Home 7895. 1

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS TO work outside, half a day for his board, within 30 miles. KORWIN, 849 W. 35th. 1

WANTED—A CAPABLE HORSEMAN FROM the East wishes to drive for private family; best of references. Address 429 E. 11TH ST. 1

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY HOUSE painter and paperhanger, non-union. Address PAINTER, 417 W. 4th st. 2

WANTED—JOB CARPENTERING, STORE fixtures and new houses to trim. WEBB, 526½ S. Spring. Home 1488. 12

WANTED—JAPANESE WISHES POSITION as housework, butler or cook. Address MIYAKO, 208 Wilmington st. 3

WANTED—SITUATION AS NIGHT OR DAY watchman, experienced. Address 531 S. MOTT ST., Boyle Heights. 1

WANTED—MAN WANTS JOB ON A HOME place. Address N, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—BY COOK, ORDER OR NIGHT, clean, quick. Address K, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by middle-aged lady, recently from the East. I would like nice plain quiet place, with fair good wages. City, country. Address A. C., Argyle Hotel, corner Second and Olive. 'Phone James 1056. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS CHILD'S NURSE by young lady with experience and reference; beach preferred. Address K, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED
Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by middle aged lady, recently from the East. I would like nice plain quiet place, with fair good wages; City, country. Address A. C., Argyle Hotel, corner Second and Olive. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS COOK BY WOMan, middle age, long experience, hotel cooking, city or country. Address C. A., ARGYLE HOTEL, corner Second and Olive. 'Phone James 1056. 1

WANTED—2 COLORED MAIDS WANT SITuation of cooks or chambermaids in hotel or boarding-house, Long Beach, for the summer. Address all the week. O, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY A-1 COOK, GERman, middle-aged, to do either cooking or general housework; city references; no objection to beach. Address for one week 736 MAPLE AVE. 1

WANTED—PROFESSIONAL MASSEUSE DEsires position during summer months, as nurse and companion; would like to travel. Address M, box 63, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—POSITION AS COOK BY WOMan, middle age, long experience, hotel cooking, city or country. Address ARGYLE HOTEL, corner 2nd and Olive. 1

WANTED—SITUATION, QUIET REFINED middle aged American to assist in housework, good worker. Address MRS. JAMES ANDERSON, 653 Towne ave. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by educated American woman in widower's family; no laundry. Address O, box 32, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—GERMAN GIRL WISHES POsition, general housework or second girl, no washing. Address O, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SEWING IN PRIVATE FAMIlies by experienced seamstress; $1.25 a day and lunch. Address O, box 86, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY A COMPETENT woman, as cook or housekeeper, city or country. Call at Sister's Home, 326 BOYD ST. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG LADY AS book-keeper or cashier; the best of references. Address O, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG WOMAN as cook for any number of men, city or ranch. Address M, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY COMPETENT cook, worker, housekeeper, mountains preferred. 3711 WESLEY AVE., rear upstairs. 1

WANTED—LADY WISHES HOUSECLEANing, washing, 20 cents an hour; $1.50 a day. Address O, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY COMPETENT woman to do housework, reference. Address O, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED young girl for general housework, family of 3, no washing. PHONE 4532. 1

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED GERMAN laundress wishes to go out two days. MRS. F., 512 S. Los Angeles st. 1

WANTED — PRACTICAL NURSE WISHES engagements; terms moderate. Address L, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE FROM PHILadelphia desires position as companion or nurse. 1221 ORANGE ST. 1

WANTED—BY AMERICAN WOMAN, WORK by the day, washing and cleaning. Phone PARK 291, after 6 p.m. 1

WANTED—NURSING, 14 YEARS' EXPERIence. Call 335½ SAN JULIAN. Tel. Sunset Black 5499. 2

WANTED—SITUATION AT LIGHT HOUSEwork. Call Tuesday or Wednesday. 1315 W. 7TH ST. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY WOMAN, GOOD cook beach or country, $30 to $35. 319 S. GRAND. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper. $6. 'PHONE HOME 7369.

WANTED—SITUATION BY GERMAN GIRL as general housework. 702 E. FIFTH ST. 1

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—SITUATIONS AS VALET AND maid by Englishman and wife; have served in high-class families; joint salary $60 month. Address O, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—AGENTS, $75 A WEEK OR more can be earned by active, intelligent solicitors for the Health and Accident Department of one of the best fraternal societies in the land. Over a million dollars paid in benefits. Previous experience not absolutely necessary. Address giving age and references, AMERICA GUILD, Richmond, Va.

WANTED—POCKET TOOTH BRUSH PAYS agents good money. Handsome nickel case, best bristles; good for travelers, actors, campers; retails at 50c; write or send 25c for sample. NASAU MERCANTILE CO., Dept. Q, Mills Bldg., San Francisco.

WANTED — MONEY IN MUSHROOMS; cheaply grown by either sex in cellars, stables, gardens, etc., whole year; send for free booklet and learn this profitable business. Dept. 15, EASTERN IMPORTING CO., Brighton, Mass.

WANTED—AGENTS FOR THE "LIFE OF Pope Pius X," just published; preface by Cardinal Gibbons; best seller ever put on market; profusely illustrated, handsomely bound; big money for agents. B. B., box 1077, New York City.

WANTED — LADY AGENTS TO HANDLE my goods exclusively for women; big money made. Call 10 to 12 a.m., 1000 MAIN ST. 4

WANTED—GOOD INSURANCE AGENTS. Room 31, 354 BROADWAY. 5

WANTED
Work by the Day.

WANTED—WE DO ALL KINDS OF HOUSE cleaning and window washing; your work promptly done. 'PHONE MAIN 2931. 4

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—OWNERS OF RENTAL PROPERTIES TO LIST WITH US. HOUSES, APARTMENTS, FLATS, STORES, LODGING-HOUSES, FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED.

Energetic efforts made to find tenants. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 212 W. Third st. Tel. Main 2531, Home 1412. 4

WANTED—TO RENT; NEW 4 OR 5-ROOM cottage, prefer Highland Park; must be NEW and MODERN. Address, giving particulars, O, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—HALL FOR DANCING ACADemy; must be central; good locality; will pay good money for desirable place. Call 820 TOWNE AVE., or 'Phone Red 8346. 4

WANTED—TO RENT A FURNISHED house in Pasadena by 3 adults, June 15 to October 1; best of references. Address O, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WANT 2 OR 3 unfurnished rooms, cottage, low rent, or the care of house. Address M, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED
Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $300, MUST BE intelligent; my business has paid an average of $350 per month since January 8, and can be increased; you need not call unless you mean business and have money ready. 1230 S. OLIVE ST. 3

WANTED — PARTNER, STOCKS AND bonds, established firm, high repute, suitable partner must be office man of experience, investment of $1500 necessary; income equals investment. 215 COPP BLDG. 1

WANTED—HAVE $500 TO $2500 AND SERVices to invest in legitimate business; replies confidential; but full particulars or no attention. Address N, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—PARTNER; YOUNG MAN WITH $400 for restaurant. Call at ROOM 10, 225 Olive st., city. 31

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—A 5 OR 6-ROOM COTTAGE IN THE WEST OR SOUTHWEST DISTRICT; WILL PAY CASH, AND WILL NOT GIVE OVER $2700. WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER? ADDRESS REPLIES TO A. T. JERGINS & CO., 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME PHONE 1911. 3

WANTED—5 AND 6-ROOM COTTAGES IN the southwest that can be purchased on installments, small payment down, balance monthly. Address with full particulars. PEERY & CO., 204 Laughlin Bldg. Home 1911. 2

WANTED—WANT TO BUY A GOOD PROPerty between Pico and Jefferson, on South Main; also a good piece of acreage, near city limits, on the south. R. E. MURRAY, 212 Frost Bldg. Home 3934. Red 9056.

WANTED—SNAPS! IN VACANT OR IMproved city property, we have the spot cash to pay for. Call or write MAY REALTY CO., 110 S. Broadway. 3

WANTED—GOOD CITY PROPERTY ANYwhere; must be good value. THE ROBERT MITCHELL CO., 508 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED — TO PURCHASE ANY GOOD city property; will pay cash. W. H. OBEAR, 401-402 Johnson Bldg. 1

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A WORKING interest in a hand laundry. Address O, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED
Rooms.

WANTED—2 NEAT ROOMS WITH BOARD in private family for young couple; with all modern conveniences, near car line; must be in good neighborhood. Address O, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN would like room in Jewish family with bath; must be near in, west or southwest; rent reasonable. Address O, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—1 WINDMILL AND TANK; 1 mowing machine and hay rake; all second-hand, but must be in good condition and cheap. Address P. O. box 55, UPLAND, Cal.

WANTED—FOR CASH, ABOUT 900 LBS. mare, bay or black; must be gentle lady to drive, not old; must have her on trial 3 or 4 days. 330 W. 28th st. BROUNEWELL. 1

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMING-house if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 205 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Tel. Home 1844. 4

WANTED—2 RAILROAD TICKETS TO Omaha or Kansas City, one good trunk, give size and price. Call or address G. S. MOSS, 2415 Maple. 1

WANTED—7 OR 8-ROOM HOUSE, S.W.; will pay $400 down, balance monthly; mail us particulars or call. MAY REALTY CO., 110 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc; RHODES & REED, 143 W. Fifth. 1

WANTED—COPPER SODA APPARATUS, small size, small generator, and fountain, state price, and size. G. BRICKSON, Eureka Hotel. 2

WANTED—FURNITURE, PAY MORE CASH than anyone. GODDARD, 423½ S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1594; Sunset 2444.

WANTED—FURNITURE; PAY MORE CASH than anyone. GODDARD, 308 S. Broadway. Home phone 1594, Sunset 2444.

WANTED—TO BUY SMALL SIZE BOILER and engine. THOS. S. WADSWORTH, 219-220 Douglas Bldg. 3

WANTED—GENTLEMEN'S SECOND-HAND clothing, shoes, etc.; highest prices. Phones 7780, Red 8041. 4

WANTED — BY A BUTCHER, SECOND-hand market fixtures and tools. Address 417 E. 27TH ST. 1

WANTED—AN ORGAN FOR MERRY-GO-round, second-hand. Address H., 718 E. Fifth. 1

WANTED—AN INTEREST IN A HAND laundry. Address N, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1101 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3131.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE; we pay honest cash prices. TEL. 1604.

WANTED—SMALL SAFE, GOOD CONDItion. 1414 W. 30TH. 3

WANTED
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A PHONOGRAPH FREE. Subscribers to The Times are offered a $7.50 Columbia graphophone at cost of freight, handling, etc., to wit: $1.25, which includes a single record of your own selection. The price of gold-molded records under this arrangement is 25 cents each; (former charge 50 cents each.) The machine can be heard to play at The Times office, where it is on exhibition daily. The plan will be explained fully to any one calling at The Times' Graphophone Department.

WANTED—M. L. WICKS IS WILLING TO divide a good thing. He does not want the last dollar a lot may be worth. See his advertisement in City Lots, and see him. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block, Second and Broadway. 3

WANTED—M. L. WICKS OFFERS CITY lots at prices to make them move. You can afford to buy a lot of him. Certificate of title furnished free with lot. M. L. WICKS, and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block. 3

WANTED—A REFINED AMERICAN LADY owning her own home would take one child or baby to care for and give it her whole attention. Compensation $8 per week, references required. MRS. RICHARDSON, Whitney ave., Hollywood, Cal.

WANTED—SICK CHILDREN TO CURE BY scientific methods; no drugs; epilepsy not incurable; experienced nurses; free instructions to mothers, children's care. DR. CARRIE SHELTON, 2609 E. Fourth st. 'Phone Mary 1032.

WANTED—M. L. WICKS BUYS REAL estate right to subdivide and sell right, but no fancy priced properties. See his advertisement in City Lots. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., room 128, Hellman Block.

WANTED—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—REFINED, EDUCATED WOMAN tired boarding wants something to do in part payment for board, in cultured Christian family, in or out of city; references. Address O, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — SPOT CASH PAID FOR ALL kinds of merchandise, no matter where it is. Apply to L. DANCIGER, 563 Fifth st., San Diego, Cal. 1

WANTED—SECOND-HAND MAP, ATLAS of City of Los Angeles. Address O, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED — YOUNG COUPLE LIKES TO care for child 6 to 10 years old; good home. 1425 PALOMA ST. 2

WANTED — TEST STEEN'S INFALLIBLE flea powder by mail 25c. 833 7th, San Diego.

TO LET—
Rooms.

TO LET—SUMMER RATES AT HOTEL MARLBORO, opened December 1903. 549-551 S. Grand Ave.; finest furnished rooming hotel in the city; beds second to none, service unsurpassed; all outside airy rooms; thoroughly modern and up-to-date, rooms single or en suite, private and public baths, stationary washstands with hot and cold running water and large closets in all rooms. Bell service. CHAS. F. HOFFMAN, Prop.

TO LET—SUMMER RATES NOW ON AT the Hotel Cecil, corner First and Olive sts.; new hotel, new management, elegantly furnished; rooms single or en suite, with baths, hot and cold running water in every room; elevator service; bell boy service; first-class in every particular. Furnace heat in every room. MRS. E. LYONS, Manager.

TO LET — SUITE OF 3 UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms, gas for cooking, porcelain sink, separate entrances front and rear; good neighborhood, close in, clean; $10, including water, to good tenants without children. 119 N. BUNKER HILL. 1

TO LET—FROM $12 TO $30; HOUSEKEEPing suite; instantaneous heater, free baths, handsomely furnished; lawn, flowers, porches, every modern convenience; separate entrances; first class in every respect. 1221 S. HILL.

TO LET—TWO LARGE NEWLY FURNISHed upstairs housekeeping rooms; private bath, pantry, porch and entrance, gas range, electricity, in private family, none but quiet refined people need apply; references. Inquire 1116 GEORGIA ST. 1

TO LET—A NICE FURNISHED ROOM, with double bed; instantaneous heater, bath, phone, piano in the parlor, or small room, $7; or will exchange for piano lessons, or making few beds. 744 S. HOPE. 1

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL LARGE FURNISHED front room; mantel, electricity, tinted walls, bath, phone, with housekeeping privileges, $16 a month, other lovely rooms, $8 and $10 month. 821 W. 11TH ST. 1

TO LET—SUMMER RATES AT 923 W. 30TH. Excellent table, $4; ... is reasonable; quiet, restful place, fresh ocean sea breeze most of the day. 20 minutes' ride to City Hall on University car, next street. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, TWO EN suite, for housekeeping; also single room, large room with two beds for two men; pleasant house, plenty good room. 505 E. 15TH, near Maple ave. 1

TO LET—PLEASANT HOUSEKEEPING suites, dishes, linen and cooking, gas, from $10 per month; also single rooms, $1.50 per week and up, very central. SILVER MAPLE, 771 Maple ave. 1

TO LET — FOR 3 OR 4 MONTHS, TO adults, 4 furnished rooms and reception hall in cottage, with piano, phone, bath, and store room, near 4 car lines. 1224 TRENTON ST.

TO LET—FOR $16 YOU CAN RENT FURnished complete, elegant 3 rooms for housekeeping; gas range, hot water, finest in town for just two grown persons. Close in. 334 S. FIGUEROA. 30

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEkeeping, electric lights, gas, etc., cottage, separate entrance, front and rear; no dogs, cats, sick people or children wanted. 1154 MAPLE AVE. 4

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, single or en suite, $2 weekly; less per month, parlor, piano, phone, bath, laundry. "WISCONSIN," 215 W. 16TH ST., near Hill. 1

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED CONNECTING housekeeping rooms, lower floor, $12 monthly, bath, gas, washroom, furnished room, $4; one sunny unfurnished, $3. 133 S. FIGUEROA. 1

TO LET—ROOMS TO RENT FOR LIGHT housekeeping, single or en suite, beautiful location, close to car line, gas, bath, and all modern conveniences. 2626 S. GRAND AVE. 2

TO LET — TWO LARGE SUNNY ROOMS on ground floor, having private entrance; location central. Inquire of E. R. BRADLEY, rooms 207 and 208, Braly Bldg. 1

TO LET—ROOMS MAGNIFICENTLY FURnished in new Hotel Empire, S.E. corner Ninth and Figueroa; 5 minutes from center of town; $2.50 to $3.50 per week.

TO LET — LARGE NEWLY FURNISHED front suite, suitable for doctor's office, etc.; also side rooms, by day, week or month; transient. 316½ S. SPRING. 2

TO LET—3 WELL-FURNISHED OR ENTIRE furnished 5-room house, home-like, clean, modern, piano if desired, lawn, adults only. 3047 S. HOPE. No invalids. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS OR SUITES for light housekeeping; summer rates; newly furnished. VERANDA HOUSE, 245 S. Flower, near Third st. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, FRONT BAY window, bath, electric lights, seperate entrance; private cottage, $9 month. 253 S. FIGUEROA. 3

TO LET—3-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping apartment, new, modern conveniences, bath and Home phone 5363. 434 S. FLOWER. 3

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS; housekeeping privileges, or nice for two gentlemen; summer rates. THE LARKIN, 230 S. Olive. 3

TO LET—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, WITH yard and water, 5 minutes' walk, $10 per month. 238 N. Hope. Inquire 217 N. BUNKER HILL. 3

TO LET—2 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, private entrance; also single rooms; fine location, near Angels' Flight. 311 S. GRAND. 29

TO LET — LARGE EAST-FRONT ROOM, nicely furnished, for two; all conveniences; good home cooking; price $5 week. 1515 S. GRAND. 3

TO LET—FRONT ROOM WITH KITCHEN, furnished for light housekeeping, $15 per month, close in. 307 S. BUNKER HILL AVE. 1

TO LET—4 ROOMS, GAS, BATH AND ELECtric light, 1748 MAGNOLIA AVE. only $15 per month, water paid. Key at the house.

TO LET—NICE BEDROOM SUITE, ONE OR two out during day, $4.50, barn, $3.50; fine loft, $1.25 month. 317 N. BEAUDRY AVE.

TO LET—WELL FURNISHED FRONT rooms with use of bath, light housekeeping privileges. 820 S. GRAND AVE. 1

TO LET — 2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping, gas and bath in cottage. Opposite Central Park. 551 S. OLIVE. 3

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER of town, $1.50 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 311 W. THIRD ST. 6

TO LET—HOTEL MACKENIE, 765 SAN JULIAN, outside rooms $1.50 week up. Also housekeeping rooms with gas stoves.

TO LET—DESIRABLE FURNISHED ROOM, in new modern house, housekeeping if desired. 1311 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 2

TO LET — HANDSOMELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, first or second stories. 401 S. FIGUEROA ST. 1

TO LET—2 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms; also single rooms; fine location, near Angels' Flight. 311 S. GRAND. 2

TO LET — NEATLY FURNISHED ROOMS; desirable location; free bath and 'phone. THE NORMANDIE, 455 S. Broadway. 3

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING SUITE, LARGE rooms, furnished, gas range, $14, walking distance. 511 W. 9TH ST. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; modern conveniences. 430 S. OLIVE ST. 5

TO LET—TWO LARGE ROOMS AND KITchen, furnished or unfurnished, modern conveniences. 428 N. HILL.

TO LET—COSY ATTIC, PLASTERED, GAS, $3.50 per month; separate rear entrance. Address 624 TOWNE AVE. 3

TO LET — UNFURNISHED, FURNISHED rooms, $3.50, $4 month. THE LEWIS, San Julian and E. Pico.

TO LET—319 W. SECOND ST., THE NEVADA HOUSE; nice rooms from $1 per week up, with bath.

TO LET—$5 TO $11 MONTH; HOUSEKEEPing suites, 2 and 3 rooms, private bath. 2826 DOWNEY AVE. 4

TO LET—2 OR 3 ROOMS, FURNISHED FOR housekeeping, piano if desired. 121 E. 25TH ST. Phone 5974. 1

TO LET — 3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, housekeeping, newly papered, in cottage. 520 S. LOS ANGELES. 2

TO LET—ROOMS; ONE TO FOUR, CONnected, for dressmaker; light housekeeping. 423½ S. SPRING. 3

TO LET—TWO COMPLETELY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. THE NORMANDIE, 455 S. Broadway. 3

TO LET—3 NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms. Apply forenoons at 1150 W. 8TH ST. 1

TO LET—SWELL FRONT ROOM IN PRIvate family; fine location, $10 a month. 1123 S. FLOWER. 3

TO LET—GOOD DESIRABLE OFFICES AND housekeeping rooms. Inquire at 415½ S. SPRING ST. 1

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, SINgle or en suite; summer rates. 1302 CENTRAL AVE. 5

TO LET—FURNISHED, 2 FRONT ROOMS, housekeeping; also others, close in. 415 S. FLOWER. 3

TO LET—3 NEW FURNISHED AND 3 UNfurnished rooms for housekeeping, cheap. 220 W. 11TH. 7

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms absolute cleanliness. 802½ S. FIGUEROA. 3

TO LET—AT THE PARK VILLA, NICE comfortable rooms, $3 to $5 per week. 543 S. HILL ST. 3

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM WITH OR without private baths. HOTEL VENDOME, 231 S. Hill st. 1

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL HOME, HOUSEkeeping or otherwise, large grounds. 871 FIGUEROA. 4

TO LET—THE DANVILLE, 522 TEMPLE ST. Newly furnished sunny outside rooms, $1 per week up. 1

TO LET—NICE SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING rooms $2.50 per week and up. 412 TEMPLE ST. HESPERIA.

TO LET — ELEGANT HOUSEKEEPING rooms, price reasonable, close in. 1022 S. FLOWER. 1

TO LET—NICE NEWLY FURNISHED room, summer rate, close in. 418 W. FOURTH. 2

TO LET—A LARGE ROOM, 2 WINDOWS, electric lights and use of phone. 831 W. NINTH. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED, 2 FRONT ROOMS, new and close in on the hill. 230 SOUTH OLIVE. 2

TO LET—A BATHROOM SUITE OR OFFICE rooms. THE NORMANDIE, 455 S. Broadway. 3

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY FRONT ROOM; private house, with bath. 531 CROCKER ST.

TO LET—2 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 2233 E. SECOND ST., Boyle Heights. 2

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING, SITTING-ROOM bedroom and kitchen, at 925 GEORGIA ST. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, IN private family; no children. 626 S. OLIVE. 2

TO LET—3 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, in cottage, 1027 S. FLOWER ST. 6

TO LET — 2 HANDSOMELY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite. 740 S. HILL. 1

TO LET—TWO NICE ROOMS, FURNISHED for light housekeeping. 743 E. PICO ST. 2

TO LET—4 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. 935 W. 6TH ST. 7

TO LET — "GRAND PACIFIC;" ROOMS, suites, 423½ S. SPRING. Free baths. 3

TO LET—VERY CLOSE IN; FINE FRONT room, reasonable. 728 W. 7TH ST. 2

TO LET—2 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS NICEly furnished. 1006 W. SECOND. 31

TO LET—
Flats.

TO LET—MODERN FLATS, WATER FREE, CLOSE IN.

$8—4 rooms, 1112½ E. Seventh st., rear.
$10—3 rooms, 204 N. Fremont.
$10—3 rooms, 204 N. Fremont, furnished.
$12—3 rooms, 334 S. Figueroa.
$16—5 rooms, 1007 W. Diamond.
$16—3 rooms, 334 S. Figueroa, furnished.
$16—5 rooms, 220½ S. Figueroa.

WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 30

TO LET—MODERN FLATS, WATER FREE; close in.

$18—5 rooms, 220½ S. Figueroa.
$16—5 rooms, 1007 W. Diamond.
$8—4 rooms, 1112½ E. Seventh st.; rear.
$12—3 rooms, 334 S. Figueroa.
$16—3 rooms, 334 S. Figueroa; furnished.
$10—3 rooms, 204 N. Fremont.
$16—3 rooms, 204 N. Fremont; furnished.

31 WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED FLAT; ONE FINE new modern upper 6 room flat, 2119½ E. 4th st. This flat has never been occupied and is facing beautiful Hollenbeck Park. Its on high ground and one of the healthiest parts of the city. This flat has to be seen to be appreciated.

TO LET—NEW 2-STORY HOUSE OF EIGHT rooms, furniture, matting and draperies, used only 7 months, for sale at ½ price if wanted; inspection any time except Sundays. 2410 MICHIGAN AVE., Boyle Heights. Fine location.

TO LET—VERY NICE 6-ROOM FLAT ON BOND ST., NEAR PICO ST.; POLISHED FLOORS, MODERN; RENT $22.50. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 1 323 S. HILL ST.

TO LET—ELEGANT, MODERN, UP-TO-date 4-room flat, 1020½ Blaine, close in, only $16, water paid; two 4-room flats, rear 317 E. 21st; bath, tinted walls, etc., only $15. HOME 'PHONE 5567. 1

Liners.

TO LET— Flats.

TO LET—AT 1308½ S. GRAND AVE. ONE 3 room flat and one 4 room flat, unfurnished, every convenience, bath, gas, and electricity, a lovely home for 2 couple, will rent very reasonable, will lease if wanted. 2

TO LET—FLAT 5 ROOMS AND BATH, ALSO 3 large rooms for housekeeping, within ten minutes' walk of First and Spring, on car line. Apply MRS. ROBERTS, 536 California st. 1

TO LET — 556 S. HOPE, BEAUTIFULLY furnished 4-room flat in best locality; rooms large, clean, sunny, airy, storeroom, cellar, screen porch, instantaneous heater; special rates. 1

TO LET — UNFURNISHED, BRIGHT, cheerful flats, upper and lower, 4 and 5 rooms, modern; rent reasonable to desirable tenants. 1419 GEORGIA. 'Phone West 3000. 1

TO LET—4-ROOM UNFURNISHED FLAT, modern, elegant rooms for small family; nice location; price $13 per month. Inquire 788 E. PICO. Take Griffith-ave. car. 1

TO LET—NEW GROUND FLOOR FIVE-room flat, on hill, 111A N. HOPE ST. No children, water free. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—JUNE 1ST., UNFURNISHED lower 6 room flat, 1051 S. HOPE, modern improvements, $25 a month; water free. Home phone 6197. OWNER. 2

TO LET—VERY CLOSE IN 7 ROOM FLAT, $200 takes piano and complete furnishings; rooms all rented. Home between 10:30 and 2:30. 728 W. 7TH ST. 2

TO LET—NEW 3 ROOM FLAT. VERY close in, all modern improvements; porcelain bath, rent $10, including water. 625 SAN JULIAN ST. 1

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN UPPER FLAT, large sunny rooms, 1226 S. Hill st., $22.50. W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., 343-5-7 Wilcox Bldg.

TO LET—$20, WATER PAID; SUNNY FLAT 5 large rooms, newly tinted, porcelain bath, solar heater, gas range. 647 W. 15TH. Phone Flora 2572. 1

TO LET—NICE NEW FLAT, FURNISHED or unfurnished, on Figueroa st. Call 609 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, or 'Phone Home 8061. 1

TO LET—SAVE CAR FARE, CLOSE IN, ON the hill, new modern sunny 4 and 5 room flats, unfurnished, 136 N. FLOWER ST., near 1st. 1

TO LET—NICE 5-ROOM FLAT, WITH ALL modern improvements, near business center; handy for busy people; $18 month. 1012 W. FIRST. 1

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, 9 ROOMS, ALL modern, new and up-to-date; 818 Central ave. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—A VERY DESIRABLE UNFURnished modern 5-room flat, freshly tinted, very close in; no children. 544 S. HOPE ST. 1

TO LET—NICE 5-ROOM UPPER FLAT, ALL in good condition; 2234 S. Hill st., $25. W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., 343-5-7 Wilcox Blk.

TO LET—3 ROOM UNFURNISHED FLAT, running water, electricity, porch, close in, $10 per month, in rear of 949 W. 9TH ST. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, prettiest 5 or 6-room flats in Los Angeles; reasonable rent. Apply 1141½ W. 20TH.

TO LET—FLAT OF 4 SUNNY ROOMS, ALL conveniences, $16 per month; also furniture for sale at a bargain. 1307 W. 12TH ST.

TO LET—MODERN 7-ROOM FLAT, CLOSE in, select location, 1027 S. Hope st.; rent reasonable. Apply at 1029 S. HOPE ST. 1

TO LET—MODERN FLAT OF 4 ROOMS, gas, electric and instantaneous heater 1243 WINFIELD ST. Home 'phone 4'57. 1

TO LET—$13; 4-ROOM FLAT, ALL IMprovements, 715 E. Washington st. Inquire 319 W. SECOND ST. Phone 2453. 5

TO LET—UPPER HOUSE, 7 LARGE ROOMS, strictly modern, furnished or unfurnished; very desirable. 1350 S. FLOWER. 2

TO LET—UNFURNISHED 4 ROOM UPPER flat, gas, bath, solar heater, new, rent $14. Rear 632 TOWNE AVE. 2

TO LET—MODERN THREE ROOM FLAT, newly papered, gas, electricity, bath, closets. $16. 540 SAN PEDRO ST. 5

TO LET—$12; 4-ROOM FLAT, GAS STOVE, bath, lawn, etc.; close in. MRS. JONES, 910 Alpine and N. Figueroa st. 5

TO LET—FLAT 4 ROOMS, FURNISHED; also front room and kitchen. 314½ E. NINTH ST. 4

TO LET—HANDSOME NEW 6 AND 7-ROOM flats, close in. Owner 416 BULLARD BLK.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, LITTLE FLAT, close in, 2 adults. 701 COURT ST., $10. 1

TO LET—UPPER 3-ROOM FLAT, NO CHILdren, $15 month. 1324 MAPLE AVE. 2

TO LET—7 ROOM MODERN FLAT, 758½ CROCKER ST. $22.50. 1

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—NEW, GROUND-FLOOR, 5-ROOM flat, furnished complete with every article; furnished new; never been lived in; on Hope st., close in; water free; no children. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—2 AND 3-ROOM APARTMENTS, private bath and all modern conveniences, large airy rooms, no better location or more home-like surroundings; ready by June 1. 427 S. HOPE. Phone 1664. 5

TO LET—FOR $16 YOU CAN RENT FURnished complete, elegant 3 rooms for housekeeping; gas range, hot water, finest in town for just two grown persons; close in. 324 S. FIGUEROA. 1

TO LET—VERY NICELY FURNISHED flat, 3 or 4 nice outside rooms, newly decorated, neat and clean; nice place, with yard and lawn. 2834 HOPE ST.

TO LET — HANDSOMELY FURNISHED rooms at THE CASA BLANCA, 311 American ave., Long Beach. Cars pass the door. Get off at Third st.

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN FURNISHED flat with piano; cool and airy; new building, summer prices; no children. 544 S. HOPE ST. 1

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT, JUST FINISHED, No. 1118½ San Pedro st.; rent $25. W. H. OBEAR, 401-02 O. T. Johnson Bldg., 356 S. Broadway.

TO LET — FURNISHED 3 ROOM FLAT, near Courthouse, $17. Call on or address MISS L. WEST, 406 California st. Call mornings.

TO LET—THE TOURAINE, 447 S. HOPE ST. Furnished apartments, with private bath and kitchen; also single rooms, with or without kitchen.

TO LET—3-ROOM FLAT, COMPLETE FOR housekeeping; modern, gas stove, electricity; adults. 2314 MAPLE AVE. 3

TO LET—FURNISHED FLAT, 5 ROOMS and bath, roomer if desired. Call afternoons. 855 W. 9TH ST. 2

TO LET—FINE NICELY FURNISHED 7-room flat; also furnished housekeeping rooms. 1000 S. HOPE. 2

TO LET—A 7-ROOM FLAT COMPLETELY furnished, with all modern conveniences. Call at 831 W. NINTH. 1

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED 5-ROOM flat; also 2 rooms; walking distance. 615 LOOMIS ST. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED MODERN 3-ROOM flat. Call 204 W. 11TH ST. 2

TO LET—3-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, 771 W. 16TH. Phone Blue 4271. 4

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TO LET—ALVARADO HOTEL, CORNER SIXTH AND ALVARADO STREETS, WESTLAKE PARK. SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR SUMMER GUESTS. ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES AT MODERATE PRICES.

TO LET—THE MARION.
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A NEW FAMILY HOTEL; WITHIN EASY WALKING DISTANCE OF THE CENTER OF THE CITY, AND CONVENIENT TO ALL POINTS OF INTEREST AND SUBURBAN ELECTRIC LINES; SINGLE ROOMS OR SUITES WITH PRIVATE BATH; FINEST HOME TABLE. SUMMER RATES.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED OUTSIDE rooms with good table board for only $30 per month, at FIGUEROA HOTEL, corner 16th and Figueroa sts. Home 'Phone 4176; Sunset West 522.

TO LET—AT 1145 S. FIGUEROA ST., SUNNY, pleasant, furnished rooms with board; home cooking; every convenience; reduced rates for summer months. Also table board. 1

TO LET—PLEASANT SINGLE AND DOUBLE rooms, table board a specialty; elegant location; home cooking; everything modern; summer prices. 2271 INGRAHAM. 6

TO LET—LARGE UPSTAIRS ROOMS IN lovely place, close in, with board, suitable for 2 or 3 school boys, $18 per month each. Address N, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 1

TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD, NICELY furnished front rooms, good board, all modern conveniences. Call or address 1022 S. BONNIE BRAE. 2

TO LET—ELEGANT FURNISHED ROOM and board for couple. 5314 PASADENA AVE. (private family.) Take Garvanza cars on Main st.

TO LET — SUNNY ROOM WITH BREAKfast and evening dinner, use of bath, for one or two gentlemen. Call at 511 W. 22D. 2

TO LET — BEAUTIFUL SUNNY ROOMS with board, home cooking, close in; very reasonable. 1306 S. HOPE. 1

TO LET— Rooms and Board.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE or en suite, reasonable, board if desired. 1336 S. GRAND. 2

TO LET—ROOMING-HOUSE 10 ROOMS, ALL outside roms, only $28, water paid. RAND, 119 S. Broadway. 2

TO LET—PLEASANT ROOM WITH BOARD in private family, on W. Adams st. TELEPHONE WEST 1862. 2

TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD, STRICTLY new, private home; every convenience. Call 726 W. 18TH. 3

TO LET PART OF FURNISHED OFFICE. Call at ROOM 421, Byrne Bldg. 2

TO LET—PART OF OFFICE WITH PHONE. 915 BRALY BLDG. 3

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TO LET—UNFURNISHED—
8-room new house in heart of Bonnie Brae section, $45.
7-room new house, near Sixth and Lucas; east front; $35, water paid.
5-room cottage, 2 blocks southwest of Westlake Park, $19, water paid.
GEO. E. HUNTSBERGER & SON, 420 W. Seventh st. 1

TO LET—TRY PASADENA CLIMATE IN summer; 2 bungalows, two rooms and bath; 1 bungalow, 3 rooms and bath; 3 flats, four rooms and bath; 1 flat, five rooms and bath; 4 cottages, seven to nine rooms and bath; adjoining Hotel Maryland and La Casa Grande. Write or telegraph clerk at either hotel.

TO LET—TO ENGINEER, FIREMAN OR other good man, 5 rooms with porcelain bath, toilet, pantry, clasets, lawn, garden spot, cement walks, etc., nearly new, near Salt Lake Depot, $17. OWNER, 841 Sunset Blvd. 1

TO LET—ON MAPLE AVE. NEAR TENTH st., a modern 2-story house; extremely low rent. Call at once. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. Hill st.

TO LET—VERY CLOSE IN; ON LOVELACE ave., 12-room 2-story house, modern, exceptionally low rent. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. Hill st.

TO LET—$15 MONTH, 9 ROOMS, NEARLY new and modern, on E. 16th st., near Central; will make summer rate $15, water extra, to right parties. JOHN R. TAYLOR, 117 S. Broadway. 1

TO LET—NEW 8-ROOM, MODERN HOUSE; W. Adams Heights tract; paneled library and dining-room, Flemish oak finish; rent reasonable to parties leasing; owner leaving city. 2006 W. WASHINGTON. 2

TO LET—LARGE 6-ROOM COTTAGE, PANTRY, bath, toilet, electricity, lawn and flowers; large grounds. MRS. MITCHELL, 1713 Western ave., opposite Harvard Military School. 'Phone West 2034. 1

TO LET — LOWER PART OF DOUBLE house, 4 large sunny tinted rooms, modern, lawn, veranda, screen porch, on corner; adults only; rent very reasonable. 1267 E. 22D. 2

TO LET—7-ROOM 2-STORY HOUSE, EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE; ON W. 22D ST.; VERY LOW RENT, $25. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. Hill st.

TO LET—CHEAP, $15 PER MONTH, SIX room cottage, bath, screen porch, large veranda, flowers, barn, 922 W. 6TH ST. near Figueroa. Call today. 1

TO LET—MODERN COTTAGE ON E. SIXTH st. near San Pedro, 6 rooms and bath—rent moderate. HAMBRIGHT, 622 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. 1

TO LET — 10-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN house in Westlake district, with barn, only $40; this is a snap. 423 STIMSON BLK. Home 'Phone 6491. 3

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE IN GOOD CONdition, within walking distance, at 115 S. Fremont ave. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, 5-ROOM COTtage, gas, bath, instantaneous heater; screen porch, etc.; very desirable corner. 1200 S. UNION AVE. 2

TO LET—ELEGANT SUNNY 4-ROOM FLAT, 243 W. 15th, near Grand, the handsome 8-room house, 2622 Grand ave. Keys at 1511 GRAND AVE. 1

TO LET—A HANDSOME 8-ROOM MODERN 2-story residence, 1949 NORWOOD ST., between Washington and 21st st., $25. Key next door. 3

TO LET—FINE 6-ROOM HOUSE, 130 W. 22d, near Main, solar water heater, for only $20, water paid. C. W. WISE, 1959 Maple ave. 2

TO LET—COMFORTABLE COTTAGES IN wholesome neighborhood, near business center. Summer rates. 121 HEWITT ST. 1

TO LET—2 NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGES, 429 and 433 E. 20th st., near Maple ave. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—10-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE IN good condition on S. Main st. near Adams. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas.

TO LET—4 ROOMS, LOWER PART DOUble house; gas, cellar, lawn kept in order; nice yard. 612 East 21ST ST. 2

TO LET—NEW DOUBLE HOUSE, SIX rooms each. 1307-1309 Star st. All modern. OWNER, 321½ Commercial st. 1

TO LET—$25; 6 ROOM COTTAGE, YARD and barn, floor coverings and range for sale cheap. 1322 W. 7TH ST. 1

TO LET—1632 W. 29TH ST., 7-ROOM, NEW, modern cottage. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET — FINE HOUSE OF 11 ROOMS, fine lawn and flowers, near Westlake Park. Call 943 LAKE ST. 1

TO LET—7-ROOM FURNISHED OR UNfurnished house near Westlake Park. Call 824 GRAND VIEW. 1

TO LET—$35; ELEGANT RESIDENCE OF 11 rooms, beautiful location. C. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 1

TO LET—4-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHED or unfurnished, $15 unfurnished. Call 1206 JASMINE. 1

TO LET—NEW 6-ROOM LARGE MODERN cottage, near Vernon car., $20. 1019 E. 36TH. 5

TO LET—$15; 7-ROOM 1½-STORY HOUSE, bath, barn, street unimproved. 239 N. FIGUEROA. 1

TO LET—5 ROOMS, 1327 W. 11TH, $2000. APply ON PREMISES, or at 314 E. Seventh.

TO LET — 5-ROOM, MODERN COTTAGE; porcelain bath, gas, lawn. 514 CROCKER. 31

TO LET—3 ROOM COTTAGE, 4140 CENTRAL AVE. 1

TO LET— Furnished Houses.

TO LET—TO SEPTEMBER 1ST., MOST DEsirable summer home of 10 rooms, completely furnished, electric and gas conveniences, private starway to beach, elegant modern grounds, with summer house, containing laundry, play room, shower bath, etc., etc., situated on Ocean Bluff, Long Beach, $300 for term. References required. Inquire MEHESY'S STORE, corner 4th and Spring sts.

TO LET—FOR A TERM FOR NOT LESS than one year, a completely furnished 12-room house, southwest district, close in; this house is a private home and has all modern conveniences; will be rented to responsible parties only. Address J, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 1

TO LET — NEW AND MODERN 7-ROOM furnished house, with use of piano, in fine residence section, east front, high ground, close to car line; owner going East; will rent 3 months; $35 per month. F. E. WOODRUFF, 2124 W. Pico, corner Hoover. Phone West 1672. 1

TO LET—FURNISHED, AT 1710 GEORGIA st., a modern, beautifully decorated, nicely furnished house of 7 rooms and bath, instantaneous heater, electricity, gas, large closets, porches, lawn, flowers, etc.; reasonable to responsible adults; owner on premises.

TO LET—
MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, 1021 BLAINE ST., COMPLETELY FURNISHED.
R. E. IBBETSON & CO., 326 TRUST BLDG.

TO LET—A 9-ROOM HOME NEAR WESTlake, completely furnished with everything, bed and table, linen, silver, china, piano, gas, electricity, furnace, Jap house, barn, lawn, fruit and flowers, east front, in fine location. 742 S. UNION AVE. 1

TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, well furnished, two bedrooms, parlor, on a good street, only 150 feet from car line, rent $22.50 per month. Water paid. No children, will rent for three months. Call 1635 W. WASHINGTON ST. 1

TO LET—UNUSUALLY WELL-FURNISHED cottage, on W. 23d st.; 6 rooms, beautiful yard, reduced rent. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. Hill st.

WANTED—MEN AND LADIES, LEARN [illegible]

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 9-ROOM houses, modern, at reduced price for 2½ months, two baths, water free, gas range, close in. Apply premises, 1290 S. HILL. 1

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 6-ROOM cottage, close in, walking distance, lawn and flowers; very desirable; rent reasonable to good tenant. 1164 W. 8TH ST. 1

TO LET—SMALL COTTAGE, COMPLETELY furnished, gas, suitable for a couple, three blocks from Central-ave. power-house. 822 HEMLOCK ST. 1

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED 5-room cottage, with all modern equipment; rent $35. Apply J. R. BRANSBY, 1327 Georgia. 2

TO LET—5-ROOM, MODERN COTTAGE, furnished, nice lawn and shrubbery. 1128 MAPLE AVE. 'Phones Main 1117; Home 2154.

TO LET—SUMMER RATES, A COMPLETEly furnished house, with piano and all modern conveniences. 1036 W. 31ST ST. 1

TO LET—A 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, completely furnished; summer rates. 536 S. Figueroa. Inquire 540 S. FIGUEROA. 1

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, NEW AND modern, furnished, one block of 2 car lines. Apply 907 E. 21ST ST., corner Stanford. 5

TO LET—A 5 ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, furnished complete, rent reasonable. Call after 10 a.m. 835 TOWNE AVE. 1

TO LET—8-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED or unfurnished, 606 CORONADO ST. Tel. Black 4785. G. W. BURTON.

TO LET — NEW 7-ROOM NICELY FURnished house, in exchange for board. Phone West 719, after 4 p.m. 3

TO LET—PART OF FURNISHED COTtage, very reasonable, object company. 1517 GIRARD ST. 2

TO LET—FURNISHED 6 ROOM COTTAGE, completely furnished, gas, bath, etc. 139 W. 24TH ST. 1

TO LET — SOUTHWEST, COMPLETELY furnished 5-room house. Inquire 1929 PARK GROVE AVE. 2

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL HOME, 9 ROOMS, completely furnished, lovely grounds. 821 FIGUEROA. 4

TO LET—8 ROOM COTTAGE NICELY FURnished, close in. Apply 805 S. OLIVE. 3

TO LET— Stores, Offices, Lodging-houses.

TO LET—OF INTEREST TO HOTEL MEN. Just being completed, handsome brick building containing over one hundred rooms; every room an outside one; steam heat, baths, hot and cold water in every room; electric bells, handsome marble entrance, strictly modern and up to date; located on one of the main business streets; suitable for first-class hotel. For particulars, apply JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. (Ground floor.) 4

TO LET—
FIRST-CLASS MODERN FRONT STORES FOR RENT.
In new building about to be erected on MAIN STREET.
Between Fifth and Sixth street.
Size of stores each 22x85, or larger, to suit tenant.
For full particulars See
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TO LET—
Building suitable
For automobile livery or other similar occupancy.
Size approximately 60x110 feet.
MAIN STREET,
Between Fifth and Sixth street.
For particulars See
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TO LET—LOCATIONS—LOCATIONS—
Several good stores on west side of Spring, Broadway and Main sts., between Second and Sixth. Advise with me if you are desirous of leasing choice business properties.
R. A. ROWAN, 415 Douglas Bldg. 5

TO LET—MAIN-ST. STORE NEAR CORNER OF FIFTH ST., EAST FRONT, GOOD DRY BASEMENT, WITH SIDEWALK ELEVATOR, ETC. Best block on the street; low rental, but will require moderate bonus on long lease; alley entrance. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. Hill st.

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TO LET—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR CHEAPer rent? Store 15x35, 807 S. SPRING, suitable for grocery, fruit, restaurant, cigars or office. Inquire in REAR. 1

TO LET—NEW LIG T STORES IN THE new business building, N.E. corner Pico and Flower sts. Apply to S. G. MARSHUTZ, Owner, 133 S. Spring st. 1

TO LET — 12-ROOM LODGING-HOUSE; new brick building, near Ninth and San Pedro; lease. V. P. GILBERT, 402 Johnson Bldg. Home 4390. 1

TO LET—90 ROOMS, NEW BUILDING; apartments and rooms; central; moderate rent. THE McCARTHY CO., owner, 509-510 Stimson Blk.

TO LET — $30; FINE DOUBLE FRONT store, 1122 E. Seventh, corner Seventh and Kohler sts. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 20

TO LET—GOOD SUITE OF OFFICES; ALSO single office, 206½ S. Broadway. Inquire HAMMAM TURKISH BATHS, 210 S. Broadway. 1

TO LET—STORE ROOM, 22½x62, NO. 1118 San Pedro st.; new; rent $25. W. H. OBEAR, 401 O. T. Johnson Bldg., 356 S. Broadway.

TO LET—$125, SOUTH HALF 422 S. BROADway; lease; cheapest rent north of Fifth st. Apply to LA TOUCHE, The Hatter, 234 S. Broadway.

TO LET — $20, DOUBLE FRONT STORE, suitable for meat market, druggist, furniture. 1122 E. SEVENTH ST. 1

TO LET—OFFICES, FURNISHED, SUITE 2 or 4 connecting rooms. 422½ S. SPRING. 2

TO LET—FRONT OFFICE SUITE, 2 OR 4 rooms. 423½ S. SPRING. 2

TO LET— Beach Property.

TO LET — HANDSOMELY FURNISHED rooms at the "Casa Blanca," corner Third st. and American ave., Long Beach; meals served if desired; cars pass the door. 1

TO LET—3 FURNISHED COTTAGES AT Catalina; one of 4 rooms, two of 3 rooms; price $100 each for the season. W. W. ROBLEE, M.D., Riverside. 14

TO LET—TENT COTTAGE AT AVALON, Catalina Island; suitable for 5 persons, by month or season. Call 612 S. FLOWER. 1

TO LET—AT LONG BEACH, NICELY FURnished rooms, near car and beach. 429 E. FIRST ST. 4

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TO LET—A GENTLE HORSE AND SURREY, $1.25 half day. 643 S. BROADWAY. 'Phone Black 2171. 1

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—COTTAGES. I have two fine, new and modern, 5-room cottages on large lots on Cincinnati and Folsom sts., near Soto, for sale at $2300 and $2000, respectively. They are bargains. Built by days' wages from good material. M. W. ATWOOD, Owner, 612 Grant Bldg., or 346 N. Ficket st. 'Phone 1714.

FOR SALE — $2900; WILL BUILD YOU A STRICTLY MODERN 12-room flat, with sliding doors, grilles, mantels and grates, up-to-date plumbing; we guarantee a first-class job in every respect. R. N. LAMBERTH & CO., 534 S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—ONLY $5750; THAT ELEGANT 12-room modern residence, on high ground, 2818 Lenox ave., W. Washington st.; greatest bargain ever offered in a high-class modern residence. See it. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD IN 10 DAYS, BY OWNER; PRETTY 8-ROOM HOUSE, 606 CORONADO, SEE INSIDE, CHEAP, EASY TERMS. DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE. G. W. BURTON.

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 6-ROOM COTtage on corner lot, 135x135; situated at Mount Olive Terrace Tract, Hollywood; 5c car fare; fine view of valley and mountains; finest water; price $2500; soon worth $5000. F. SNOVER, 119 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—WE BUILD FOR CASH OR ON terms; we furnish plans and money; if you expect to build, see us, for we can save you money; let us show you some of the houses we are building. J. BURRIS MITCHELL & CO., 306-7 Douglas Bldg. Home 2774.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
$5000. $5000. $5000.
"WE MEAN JUST WHAT WE SAY."
An exceptional value, in a choice corner property. To be appreciated must be seen. Southwest near Figueroa, one block from car.

Two stories, 8 rooms, and reception hall; hardwood floors downstairs, handsome full paneled oak doors on first floor, beamed ceilings in hall and living-room. Built-in buffet, two mantels and grates: the second floor is conveniently and well arranged, with spacious light and airy rooms, with ample closet room in each, and linen press. The bathroom is one of the features of this house. There are two toilets, a large screened porch, besides one on second floor in rear, and front porch. Laundry tubs, sewer, lawn, barn, street and curbing all done, cement sidewalks. This is a complete and exceptionally well-built home, was built to live in, and not to sell. We are the agents.

F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 404 Trust Bldg. Members Realty Board. 1

FOR SALE—
TWO HOUSE SNAPS.

$2600—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, on good lot, west of Main and near 37th. THIS IS A SNAP. House is new and very attractive. THREE HUNDRED cash, and monthly payments.

$5350—A beautiful new, modern, full two-story; east front; lot 50x150 to alley; very choice location, near Alvarado and 13th. One of the best buys in the city. This would be cheap at $6000.

"And we have others."

MINES & FARISH, 404 Bradbury Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—BY INGRAM & BRIGGS.
Your choice of two eight-room houses, new and modern, lawn and ornamental trees, Adams street district, one block from car line, $3750, $500 cash, balance $25 per month. If you are looking to buy something choice for less than it is worth, see these houses.

1210 New Hampshire, seven rooms and hall, parlor, library and dining-room. Can all be thrown together, or closed; 3 large chamber rooms, closets, 8 to 12 feet long, best of plumbing, tinting, and decorating, $4250; $750 down, $30 per month.

We are sole agents for a 12-room house on Arapahoe street, 200 feet south of Pico, price only $5760. Remember this cheap, come and see it.

INGRAM & BRIGGS, Builders. 902 Braly Bldg. Phone 29. Members of L. A. Realty Board. 2

FOR SALE—
MAGNOLIA AVENUE.
NEW 8-ROOM HOUSE, $1200.
This new modern residence with all improvements is offered for $4300; a cash payment of $300 to $500 will be accepted and monthly installments of $25.

It has an east front, with delightful aspect on a wide beautiful avenue, with handsome residences on both sides of street.

The lot is 150 feet deep, with driveway on side. The house is built in a most substantial manner, and has never been occupied; it contains square entrance hall, parlor and dining-room, kitchen, screen porch and toilet on first floor, and four bedrooms, bathroom and toilet on second floor; fixtures for gas and electricity in every room. The location is convenient to several car lines. For further particulars apply to

JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 4

FOR SALE—
SOUTHWEST RESIDENCE.
REDUCED $5000 TO $4500.
EIGHT LARGE ROOMS. LOCATION VERY CHOICE; STYLE OF ARCHITECTURE IS VERY ATTRACTIVE; SURROUNDED BY BEAUTIFUL NEW HOMES; LARGE VARIETY OF FRUIT AND CHOICE SHRUBBERY; IF YOU WANT A GOOD HOME OR CHOICE INVESTMENT, SEE US FOR PARTICULARS. A GREAT BARGAIN AT $4500.
C. J. HEYLER CO., 310-311-312 BRYSON BLOCK, SECOND AND SPRING.

FOR SALE—
$8250. $8250.
In Westmoreland tract, the most exclusive residential section in the city, a beautiful new, modern and well-built 10-room residence, hardwood floors throughout; elegant lighting fixtures, artistic tinting, 2 fine stone mantels, woodwork is hand-rubbed with pumice stone and oil; no expense has been spared to make it first-class in every respect; lot 60x167; east front; near corner Tenth and Elden ave. If you want a swell place, at a modest price, don't fail to see this; liberal terms; commission to agents. Key at our office.
PEET & WOODRUFF, Owners and Builders, 2124 W. Pico, corner Hoover.

FOR SALE—
CHEAP COTTAGE.
$2600—Well-built, 7-room house, 27th near Figueroa, in good condition; lot 65x130; street work done; doesn't this sound good? Investigate.
CROAKE & M'CANN, 235 Douglas Bldg.
Members Realty Board. Home 'Phone 1813.

FOR SALE—
A GILT-EDGE INVESTMENT IN A HOME SOUTHWEST.
Just on Figueroa, on W. 28th st., we offer if taken this week a 2-story house of six rooms; reception hall and porcelain bath, for $3250; this property was built just a year ago, and the price we offer is less than cost, polished floors, walls all tinted, open fireplace in parlor, and in fact every modern convenience to anyone looking for a neat home or good income property this is a snap. HAMBRIGHT, 622 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—
PRICE $2100.
ONLY $150 DOWN AND $20 A MONTH, INCLUDING INTEREST. New and modern 5-room cottage, good location, in southwest, near car line, 50-foot lot; street work done, immediate possession; this is a bargain and will sell quickly. I have several on exceptionally easy terms. W. S. BRADFORD, 332 Bradbury Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
$4000. $4000. $4000.
"SEE THIS PROPERTY TODAY."
In the southwest, close to Figueroa, and one block from two car lines; this new corner property, 7 rooms and reception hall; 3 large bedrooms, two toilets, combination fixtures, polished floors, pass pantry, coved ceilings, tinted walls; screen porch, lawn, sewer, street work, curbing and sidewalks; locality and surroundings are the best.
F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 404 Trust Bldg. Members Realty Board. 1

FOR SALE—$4100—
VALENCIA AND 14TH.
MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE AND BARN ON FINE CORNER LOT.
WEATHERED OAK FINISH DOWNSTAIRS, WHITE ENAMEL UPSTAIRS, NEW PLUMBING, NEW FIXTURES. EVERYTHING IN FIRST-CLASS SHAPE.
OWNER, 417 HENNE BLDG. HOME 581 OR 999. 1

FOR SALE—$6500; I WILL SELL MY BEAUtiful 6-room residence near Palm place; elegant mountain view, high elevation, lot 3 feet above grade, with nice cement retaining wall, very large spacious rooms, gas, electric lights, cooling closets, instantaneous heater, large bath, gravel and cement driveway, nice barn and large storeroom, gas range and some furnishings, 3 years' insurance, lots on this street are worth $2000. Call at once 519 JOHNSON BLDG., corner Fourth and Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—
NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE, NEAR UNIVERSITY CAR, SOUTHWEST.
Monthly payments of $20, which includes interest, and from $100 to $250 cash will purchase this beautiful cottage.
This is a rare opportunity to purchase your own home on such easy terms; the house is splendidly built, and contains all improvements, and is in an excellent neighborhood, where values are sure to increase.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 4

FOR SALE—
W. 12TH ST.,
Between Union and Burlington ave., and convenient to Westlake Park.
7-ROOM COTTAGE.
Containing 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, bathroom and hall; lot 50x150; sewer. The owner has left the city and is anxious for a prompt sale, and a low price will be accepted; terms $500 cash, and monthly payments like rent.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—A SNAP, 8-ROOM, 1½ STORY house, 2 lots, fruit trees, flowers, large barn, work shop, stable, 10-foot air motor, windmill, 2-room tank house, street work done. Price $2200. Take part cash, commission to agents. OWNER, 2023 LEOTI AVE. 1

FOR SALE—4 COTTAGES, MODERN IN EVery respect, bringing $85 per month; do not miss this if you are looking for a good thing to invest your money; $7000; $3000 cash, balance can run for 4 years if so desired. Address 1335 LAWRENCE ST., or 2300 E. NINTH ST.

FOR SALE— Houses.

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230-232-234 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
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HOME EXCHANGE 263.

MODERN HOMES—MODERATE PRICES.
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If you know a good buy when you see it, then you'll recognize these as four of the best values ever offered in residence property. You'll find locations gilt-edge, houses most modern, prices more than fair.

COTTAGE JUST COMPLETED.
—$3350—
Splendidly built cottage with five large rooms and two halls; this house is most complete in every detail; hall, living-room and dining-room finished in Flemish oak; the living-room is 28 feet long, and is beautifully paneled; dining-room is also paneled and has fine built-in buffet; many large windows and fine bay window; beautiful lighting fixtures of the very latest pattern; finest quality of dull brass hardware; the bedrooms all finished in white enamel; splendid large lot to alley; elegant location; all surrounding homes very fine; one of the handsomest cottages ever built; an elegant proposition at $3350.

BEAUTIFUL WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.
—$7250—
Beautiful large lot, 65x155 feet; very choicest part of the Westlake district; a modern home; very finely finished; most substantially built; east front; handsome entrance with cut and beveled art glass; very finest lighting fixtures; beautiful large living-room, 18x24 feet; built-in buffet with art glass; splendid furnace; good cement basement; most conveniently arranged; very fine large two-story barn with cement floor; grounds very finely laid out with a great deal of cement work; handsome lawns and flowers; this place is easily worth $8500, but because the owner is anxious to dispose of this property and do it quickly, he has marked the price down to $7250.

RESIDENCE WITH STONE FRONT.
—$8550—
Westlake home that stands out as one of the finest in this locality today; splendid stone front; elegantly finished downstairs in Flemish oak; parlor has very fine hand-carved mantel; large living-room with very fine brick mantel; white enamel finish and rock maple floors in six bedrooms; connecting bedrooms with lavatory; elegant bath; very finest plumbing; large finished billiard-room; good furnace; entrance to this house is of oak; doors are beveled and have art glass; it is a finely built place, with everything most complete, inside and out.

VERY HANDSOME WESTLAKE HOME,
FINISHED IN FLEMISH OAK.
Very elegant Westlake home that has just been completed; fine foundation; splendidly built throughout; elegant location in the very heart of the Westlake district; all the surrounding homes are very fine; very handsome entrance; very fine staircase and a large reception hall; white enamel finish in the parlor, which has a very fine hand-carved mantel; beautiful bay window and window seats; paneled dining-room with beamed ceilings; casement window and plate rail; large, handsome living-room, with wooden frieze; also fine brick mantel with open fireplace; very nice sunny sewing-room; cheerful breakfast-room, finished in white enamel and tapestry paper; house is finished downstairs in Flemish oak; quarter-sawed oak floors; fine plate-glass windows; lighting fixtures are the finest that can be bought; there is a good furnace, cement basement and laundry; kitchen is large and convenient; 2 large pantries, with many drawers and bins; bedrooms are finished in white enamel with rock maple floors; connecting bedrooms with lavatory; there are seven large closets; bath is very fine; plumbing is the best; this is an exceptionally good opportunity to buy a fine Westlake residence. If you are interested, we would be glad to show you the place.

Members of Los Angeles Realty Board.
ALTHOUSE BROS., Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—
WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THESE DECIDED BARGAINS.

$2500—Great big snap; new 2-story, 7-room modern house, lot 50x150 to alley, nicely located on Vernon ave. (44th st.) west of Central; owner compelled to sell and makes price $750 under value.

$5750—A very high-grade new 8-room, full 2-story, east front, on lot 75x178, near Country Club grounds; house is strictly modern, hardwood floors, good basement with furnace; the interior is beautifully arranged and finished; this is "a gem" and is very cheap at $5750.

$6000—Strictly Westlake; new, modern, 8 large rooms, half block from Westlake Park; this is a beautiful home and at $6000 is way under market value; has every convenience and is a very attractive home; full particulars at our office; lot 50x150.

$7500—In a very choice Westlake location, on wide lot, a beautiful and charming 8-room new, never occupied, with brick and cement basement, with furnace, oak floors, oak entrance, plate glass door and windows, fine view from every window; this is the best house in the city for the money; will shade this price if sold this week.

AND WE HAVE OTHERS.
MINES & FARISH, 404 Bradbury Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
BURLINGTON AVE. RESIDENCE.
East front, south of Ninth st.; two-story, 7 rooms, modern. For immediate sale will make price $4300. Address N, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—
LOG CABIN BUNGALOW.
—$1800—
An opportunity worth looking into to be sold for less than material can be bought for; characteristic in every detail. Call at once and investigate. Located in Alhambra, on car line, corner Main and Cleveland; 22 minutes from city. By OWNER.

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE, fine location, in southwest; attractive and thoroughly modern; 50-foot lot; near car line; price $3100. Only $300 down and easy monthly payments. W. S. BRADFORD, 332 Bradbury Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
SNAP.
ONLY $100 CASH.
FIVE ROOMS, NEW.
$2100—Good location, cove ceilings, 2 bay windows, porcelain bath, sink and wash bowl; $100 cash, $25 month; act quick or you will lose this fine deal. M. M. DAVISON & SON, room 204, Wilcox Bldg. Tel. 589. 2

FOR SALE—
$1800—4-room hard-finished cottage, southwest. $600 cash; balance $20 per month.
$2100—5-room modern cottage, on Sunset blvd.; $750 cash, balance like rent.
NORTON & HAY, 318 W. Third st. Sole Agents. 3

FOR SALE—
$4750—ON FASHIONABLE ADAMS ST.
Eight-room house, reception hall, porcelain bath, gas for stove, electric wired, barn, fine lot; cash down, $650; September next, $1000; 2 years, $1000; 5 years, $2100. COOPER, owner, 444 Wilcox Bldg. 3

FOR SALE—I CAN BUILD YOU A STRICTly modern 5-room cottage, with gas, electricity, polished floors, china closet, mantel, screens, shades, porcelain bath, marble washbowl, electric fixtures, etc., for $1300; 6 rooms, $1500; terms can be arranged if desired; plans free. E. S. WILLIAMSON, Contractor and Builder, 202 Grant Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—IF THE GENTLEMAN THAT was looking for a house and lot west of Main will call today I can sell him a 10-room house between Main and Hill, lot 50x130, for $4500; no favorites; anybody can have it at the same price. J. C. FLOYD, 206-6 Mason Operahouse. 1

OWNER NEEDS CASH AND WILL SELL HIS 7-ROOM HOUSE AND LOT, 52x135 FEET, ON W. 27TH ST., BETWEEN MAIN AND GRAND AVE., FOR $2500; IT'S A SNAP. A. T. JERGINS & CO., SOLE AGENTS, 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME PHONE 1911. 2

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGES AND ONE 4-room cottage, all modern improvements, on large lots, located on Dayton ave., near Avenue 20, Specht's tract; only seven minutes' ride from Spring and Temple. Garvanza car passes property. Monthly payments. Inquire 2007 DAYTON AVE., or 723 N. MAIN ST. 1

FOR SALE—$4500; NEW 9-ROOM HOUSE, on Arlington avenue, near Washington st.; east front, very desirable, and a bargain. R. M. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg. 31

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—$3000; A LARGE 6-ROOM COTtage, close in on 14th st.; has all the modern conveniences; can make easy terms; this cottage has been held at $3500, but owner says sell it; his loss your gain. GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—$3250; FINE NEW 6-ROOM COTtage, good location, southwest; terms $500 cash and $30 monthly. We make a specialty of this class of property and have many good things to offer. GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE — SIX-ROOM, NEW, MODERN cottage, sewer, lawn, fruit, flowers, suitable for one or two families; two brick chimneys; walking distance, 15th st., block east Maple ave., $2600, terms. OWNER at 507 E. 15th st. 1

TO LET—LEASE, COMPLETELY FURnished, to responsible parties, one of the best paying resorts and hotel in California, doing a business of from $5000 to $8000 a month. Address H, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 3

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN COTTAGES, 5 and 6 rooms each, gas, electricity, best plumbing, nicely decorated, $2500 and $2700; would take lot as first payment; fine bargains; close in. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg.

FOR SALE—$30 CASH, $20 MONTHLY; $850, $1250, $1450, $1750 cottages; $1600 cottage, 4 lots, $300 cash, $10 mthly. C. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. Evenings at 423½ S. Spring, room 14. 2

FOR SALE — BARGAIN; NEAT 7-ROOM 2-story house, barn, henhouse and yards, nicely improved, fruits, flowers in abundance; central location; 50x165; $3600; small payment, balance to suit. PHONE EAST 235. 3

FOR SALE—$1150— 5-room house, not new, but in good repair; bath; lot 50x136; southwest, near Jefferson st.; a comfortable home for little money. W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM NEW cottage, furnished or unfurnished, in beautiful Highland Park, $3350; also new 5-room cottage near 12th and Central ave., $2550, easy terms. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 30

FOR SALE—$2550; A 5-ROOM BARGAIN ON the clean side of 32d st.; this cottage is new and modern and cost $2800; will sell at a sacrifice if sold soon. See only GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—A SNAP; CALL AT ONCE; LOT on E. 25th st., 40x150 to alley. One 4-room house, 2-room house on rear; fruit, flowers; $1600 takes it if sold within 10 days. Call on owner, 634 S. SPRING. 3

FOR SALE—BY OWNER.
$4150—Modern Westlake home, 7 rooms. New, finely finished, east front, all conveniences and luxuries; easy terms. WESTON 331 Douglas Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—$12,500; COMFORTABLE FIVE-room cottage, E. Adams, near Long Beach line; large lot, small payment down, balance like rent. WESTON, 331 Douglas Bldg. 3

FOR SALE—$1250; COMFORTABLE 5-ROOM cottage, E. Adams, near Long Beach line; large lot, small payment down, balance like rent. WESTON, 331 Douglas Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE, furnished, lawn, flowers, fruit trees, on beautiful W. Adams st. Apply mornings, 1807 W. ADAMS. 2

TO LET—8-ROOM PRIVATE RESIDENCE, Westlake section; east front; sunshine and flowers; very cheap rent. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant. 'Phone 580.

FOR SALE — NEW MODERN HOUSE 7 large rooms, splendid location; will take good lot as first payment. Address N, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN PROPERTY AT 11TH and San Julian. 7-room cottage, lot 50x150 to 20-foot alley. Apply to owner, 1117 SAN JULIAN ST. 1

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; MUST SELL; 5-room cottage, southeast corner 29th and Western ave. Address W. M. MARCH, University P.O.

FOR SALE—NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE, SHED, vegetables, flowers, lawn, $825; terms; near new car barns. 875 E. 53D ST. Call afternoons. 2

FOR SALE—NEW 8-ROOM HOUSE AT A bargain, southwest; owner has to go East. Apply to HOTEL CORONA, room 19, MRS. LEE.

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND large reception hall, everything complete. 134 AVE. 56, Highland Park. 6

FOR SALE—4-ROOM HOUSE AND LOT, $1250 if taken at once; lot alone worth the money. 2300 E. NINTH ST. 1

FOR SALE—MOVE RIGHT IN; $50 CASH; $15 monthly; 3 rooms, $1650. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 2

FOR SALE—$1800; NEW MODERN 5-ROOM house, 422 S. GLESS ST.; must be sold. PHONE 325. 5

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE ON TERMS. 745 W. 37TH ST.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

McKINLEY PLACE.
SOUTH PARK AVE. OPPOSITE PARK.
NEW SUBDIVISION.
BEST YET OFFERED.
LOWEST PRICES.
EASIEST TERMS.
RAPID CARS.
SHOPS NEAR.
ASCOT HANDY.
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FOR SALE—
2500 PATRONS SATISFIED.
Don't buy a home site until you have seen us.
We have more subdivisions to select from than any other real estate firm in the city.
We have choice lots in any locality you may desire.
We have choice beach lots at Ocean Park.
We have choice city lots in San Diego.
We have choice lots at La Jolla, the most beautiful sea side resort in the world.
We have choice lots on the Long Beach electric line at Watts Junction, 12 minutes from center of town, at the intersection of the new Santa Ana line where property has increased in value 50 per cent. within the past 60 days. The completion of this new line will mean another big increase. Don't overlook this opportunity. Buy at once before prices are advanced.
LOTS $75 and up—TERMS $1 DOWN—$1 PER WEEK.
NO INTEREST—NO TAXES.
GOLDEN STATE REALTY INVESTMENT CO.,
430 Bryson Block,
Cor. 2nd and Spring streets.
Phones Main 2918. Home 8901. Open evenings.

FOR SALE—
VERNON PARK.
Best Location.
AMONGST ALL THE BIG THINGS DOING.
Fertile Soil, Berries and Fruits.
Water piped, wide streets, 5-foot walks, concrete curbs, streets graded; lots front Vernon ave., 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 50th and 51st sts., Zamora st., Ascot ave. and Compton.
Our prices and terms:
CHOICE LOTS, $250 and up.
Very best terms given purchasers.
Office cor. 45th and Central ave.
Open at all times.
Open Sundays.
Take Vernon cars at Second and Spring sts. to 48th st. Call at our office for maps and photos.
GRIDER & HAMILTON, 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
$1000—One thousand dollars quick money will buy a beautiful east-front lot on Oxford ave. north of Washington; fine 2-story residence to be erected on adjoining lot.
ITS A SNAP AT $1000.
"AND WE HAVE OTHERS."
MINES & FARISH, 404 Bradbury Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
500 CITY LOTS, $10 A MONTH.
M. L. Wicks offers lots in northwest, west and southeast parts of the city at prices from one hundred dollars to nine hundred dollars each on payments to suit purchasers, interest at 6 per cent. per annum; you can take possession at once and erect any structure you see fit on rear half of the lots; payments of ten dollars a month are acceptable; certificate of title with each deed; on payment of one-third deed can be taken and mortgage given payable either ten dollars a month or at one and two years, 8½ per cent. gross interest, or 6 per cent. net. Come and see how nice a lot 50x150 feet, I can sell you at $125. M. L. WICKS, room 128, Hellman Block, Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—MY HOME PLACE, 2901 GRAND AVE. HAVE MOVED AWAY AND LOCKED IT UP. MUST BE SOLD, TOO FINE PROPERTY TO RENT. WILL TAKE PART EXCHANGE IN CITY, PASADENA OR HOLLYWOOD PROPERTY. J. L. PATTERSON, 240 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—SOME CHEAP LOTS—
$375—One of the best lots in the Ford tract.
$650 each—4 fine lots in C. V. Hall tract.
$900—Colton st., within 5 minutes' walk of Third and Broadway.
$1000—Fine corner lot on 32nd st., in the Boettcher tract, 50x130 to 20-foot alley; street graded and sewered.
$1350—Beautiful lot, Pasadena ave., adjoining Occidental College.
$1750—Elden ave., in Lone Star tract.
$1950—Choice lot, west side Central ave.
$2100—Choice residence lot near Ninth and Alvarado.
$4200—Towne ave. near 5th, 60x119.
$5500—A very desirable southwest corner lot 60 feet front, alley in rear, close to 7th st., ¼ mile west of Figueroa.
G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 1

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE ON W. 12TH ST., NEAR FIGUEROA, A CHOICE CORNER, 152x150 FEET, 7-ROOM HOUSE THEREON, RENTING FOR $22 PER MONTH; THIS PROPERTY IS WELL LOCATED, AND WILL PROVE A CHOICE LOCATION FOR STORES AND FLATS; THE OWNER IS VERY ANXIOUS TO SELL AND HAS REDUCED HIS PRICE FROM $10,500 TO $9100 FOR QUICK SALE. IT'S THE CHEAPEST AND BEST BUY IN THE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT.
A. T. JERGINS & CO., Sole Agents, HOME 'PHONE 1911. 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
WE MOVE JULY 1ST TO OUR NEW QUARTERS, 400 HERMAN W. HELLMAN BLDG., COR. FOURTH AND SPRING STS. 1

FOR SALE—$400.
Lots in the
SOUTH PARK AVE. HOME TRACT.
Finest of street work, water, oiled streets, moderate building restrictions; easy terms; $100 below the market in this district. Apply
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A man on tract.

FOR SALE—
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CORNER LOT ON W. 16TH ST.,
2½ ACRES,
will sell in lots for $7200, but has to be sold together.
$3500; HALF CASH,
or good discount for cash; will secure this fine corner; electric cars pass by in front.
Also a 9-acre piece on W. Pico for $3250; half cash.
W. P. LARKIN & CO., 542 S. Main or 421 Byrne.
P.S.—Alfalfa lands, $70 per acre.
Walnut lands, $70 per acre. 1

FOR SALE—
LARGE LOTS, with cement walks and curbs.
EXCELLENT WATER piped in alleys.
RICH, sandy loam soil.
HEALTHY district, beautiful view.
5c CAR FARE—5c.
15 MINUTES' ride from center of city.
PRICES, $200 to $350, no interest.
TERMS, 10 per cent. cash, $10 per month.
C. S. MILES' HUNTINGTON PARK addition
—Office—
102 S. BROADWAY. 'Phones 881.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN.
$8200—165x88, N.W. corner Fremont and Third, only 5 days at that price.
$4500—85x120, corner W. Second, close in; this is a snap.
$12,500—125x120, corner on Sixth near Figueroa.
$6500—80x155 to alley, on Fremont; a business corner.
$7000—45x165, on Flower, north of Ninth.
E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant. 2

FOR SALE—
W. G. NEVIN TRACT.
74x178. PRICE $1600.
WE HAVE A BEAUTIFUL LOT IN THIS FINE TRACT ON GRAMERCY PLACE NEAR DORCHESTER, THAT WE CAN SELL AT THIS VERY LOW PRICE, WHICH IS $300 UNDER THE MARKET. DO NOT WAIT, AS IT WILL GO.
PEERY & CO., 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME PHONE 1911. 3

FOR SALE—GOLF PARK LOTS, A FINE investment. Of course you have noticed the great number of fine, new residences in and around Golf Park, the desirable location, southwest, on high ground, excellent car facilities. What does it mean? It means that a 50-foot lot that you can buy now for $1000 will be worth $2000 in less than two years. A word to the wise. T. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 1

FOR SALE—HAVE A 30-ROOM FURNISHED country hotel for lease; rent $90; small bond required.
New 60-room apartment-house in city for lease; be completed July 1; rent about $5 a room.
CASON & EAGON, Associated Hotel Brokers, 'Phone 1896. 422-23 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—
DON'T PAY RENT.
BUY A LOT FOR $500; $20 DOWN, $10 MONTH; AND LIVE ON REAR; VERY CHOICE LOCALITY; OWN YOUR OWN HOME; ONLY 3 LOTS LEFT ON THESE TERMS. CALL AT ONCE.
GUS B. HILL, OWNER, 135 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—AND A SNAP AT $1050; A choice lot on Normandie ave., just south of Adams st.; beautiful surroundings, located in the choicest part of the West Adams-st. district; adjoining lots held at $1250; it's the cheapest lot on the street. A. T. JERGINS & CO., Sole Agents, 204 Laughlin Bldg. Home 'Phone 1911. 2

FOR SALE—
BEAUTIFUL WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
5 TO 30 ACRES.
—BARGAIN—
If you want a bargain on this beautiful property within one block of 7th-st. electric line and close to Traction, address FRED SCHMIDT, P.O. box 739, city.

FOR SALE—$950—
50x178—
Beautiful lot in the Angelus Vista tract, on Grammercy st.; $250 below the market; must be sold today. Ring up Home 6290.
W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS IS WILLING TO divide a good thing. He does not want the last dollar a lot may be worth. See his advertisement in City Lots, and see him. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block, Second and Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS OFFERS CITY lots at prices to make them move. You can afford to buy a lot of him. Certificate of title furnished free with lot. M. L. WICKS, and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block. 3

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS BUYS REAL estate right to subdivide and sell right, but no fancy priced properties. See his advertisement in City Lots. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., room 128, Hellman Block. 3

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENT LOTS, IN ALL directions, for houses or investments; no building restrictions; stop paying rent. Call or write for particulars. ALBERT H. BEACH, 125 S. Broadway. Main-Home 1273.

FOR SALE—20 FURNISHED ROOMS, LONG lease, rent $100; large halls and many large rooms. Location unsurpassed. 315½ S. MAIN ST. Price reduced. Will sell at great sacrifice. Must go East. Call today.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LAND FOR SUBDIvision in the city, close to electric cars, in large or small parcels; special bargains this month for cash. I. H. PRESTON, Owner, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 7

FOR SALE—BUY A LOT IN THE GROWing part of the city. We will sell you a lot 45x135, all set to fruit, for $600; ¼ cash; to look at them is to buy. GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—$1400; ONE OF THE FINEST lots, close in, southwest, near Alvarado Terrace tract; owner wants money so you can make a good buy. GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—A GOOD LOT ON WALL NEAR 37th, clean side street; good improvements on all sides; this is cheap; it will pay you to hurry. GEORGE & LONGE, 603 Braly Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—$2100— Fine corner in the Lone Star tract, 50x180 to alley; fine location for a home. W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—LOTS IN BURKE BROS.' SUBdivision, $115; $5 cash and $7 per month; no interest; water paid. BURKE BROS., 453 S. Spring. 4

FOR SALE — LOTS; BEST BARGAIN IN city, 52x150, worth $3000; $2500 cash buys it. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 1714.

FOR SALE—$450 EACH, EAST HOLLYwood, near boulevard; large lots, easy terms. W. N. HOLWAY, 220 Grant Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—LARGE FINE LOTS, CLOSE in, easy terms. NILES, Owner, Washington and Maple ave. 1

FOR SALE—$1500, 2 LOTS, CORNER BURlington and Temple. 238 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK. 2

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—
SAN PEDRO NEAR SEVENTH.
50 FT. CORNER, PRICE $8000.
THIS IS THE BEST BUY EAST OF MAIN ST., AND PROPERTY IS LOCATED IN RAPIDLY-DEVELOPING SECTION. INSIDE PROPERTY IS SELLING FOR MORE THAN WE ASK FOR THIS FINE CORNER. IMPROVEMENTS CAN BE SOLD FOR $1000, MAKING THE COST ONLY $140 PER FOOT. PEERY & CO., 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. HOME PHONE 1911. 1

FOR SALE—SEVENTH STREET CORNER.
$8000.
Corner Seventh and Westlake, 100x90, this is good business property, can be handled with one-third cash, balance time. Address L, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 31

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

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NEW BRICK BLOCK.
Stores and offices at new postoffice site. $35,000, ½ cash, paying 15 per cent. on price under lease; special bargain. Also fine income block on Hill near Fourth, cheap, and brick block on Broadway near First; must be sold for a non-resident.
1 W. P. LARKIN & CO., 342 S. Main or 421 Byrne.

FOR SALE—
$12,000. 60x120. $12,000. 60x120. $12,000.
ON SECOND ST., WEST OF OLIVE, SOUTH FRONT; A DESIRABLE CLOSE-IN PROPERTY FOR APARTMENT. THE PRICE IS VERY LOW. INVESTIGATE THIS.
F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 404 TRUST BLDG. MEMBERS REALTY BOARD. 1

FOR SALE—SINCE UNCLE SAM HAS DECIDED positively to erect a million-dollar Federal building on corner Temple and Main where can you get a better buy than the Temperance Temple, only two short blocks to the west? Property is rapidly advancing in this locality. M. W. ATWOOD, Sole Agent, 612 Grant Bldg. 'Phone 1714.

FOR SALE—76x125, ON NINTH, BETWEEN Hope and Flower, $13,000; 40x90 on Flower, between Eighth and Ninth, $4500. M. LISSNER, 322 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN BUSINESS lot; mind you, a REAL bargain; small capital will handle; this week only. E. G. GROAT, W. Third st. 1

FOR SALE—$8200; 165x63; N. W. CORNER 3rd and Fremont; fine corner, close in; price raised after 10 days. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant. 1

FOR SALE—A NICE 2-STORY BRICK, storeroom below, with rooms above, on Main st. near new postoffice; cheap. Call at 421 BYRNE BLDG. 1

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE FOR LOS ANgeles real estate, if clear, furniture, lease and good will of one of the best-located 38-room rooming-houses in our city; all first-class roomers; paying about $350 per month; cannot attend to same. Bring ad. to 440 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—20 FURNISHED ROOMS, LONG lease, rent $100; large halls and many large rooms, location unsurpassed. 515½ S. MAIN ST. Prices reduced. Will sell at great sacrifice. Must go East. Call today. 3

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$4500; ROOMing-house, 50 rooms, new furniture; low rent; will bear the closest investigation; want city property, will mortgage either way to even trade. ROOM 428, Wilcox Bldg. 2

FOR SALE — 24 ROOMS, CHOICE LOCAtion, handsomely furnished, $1500; easy terms; must sell on account of sickness; come and make offer. TRACY & COMPTON, 219 Copp Bldg., 218 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE — $1370; SPECIAL SNAP; 24 rooms nicely furnished, close to Broadway; sold 2 months ago for $2500; owner critically ill, must give up. J. C. OLIVER, 218 S. Broadway, room 218. 1

FOR SALE — LEASE AND FURNITURE; best located rooming-house in Long Beach; new brick building, 18 rooms, newly furnished, large reception hall, $1600. 221 PINE AVE., Long Beach. 4

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE ON ACcount of wife going East, I will sell the contents of 7-room cottage for $250, or trade for lot; house for rent, $30. Apply 707 W. SIXTH ST. 1

FOR SALE—BOARDING-HOUSE, 20 FURnished rooms, all full, one block from Redondo car line. Address box 18, INGLEWOOD, take car at Second and Spring. 6

FOR SALE—FURNITURE, LEASE, 9 ROOM house, $425; present roomers more than pays rent. A splendid home, close in. O'CONNELL & ASTON, 536 S. Broadway. 31

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE OF TEN large airy rooms, close in, two car lines within half a block, for only $700. 821 S. HOPE.

FOR SALE—THIS ROOMING-HOUSE WILL go at $300, if sold today. Park View, 505½ W. 6TH ST. 31

FOR SALE—10-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE, $500; cheap rent. 509 TEMPLE. 3

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN—
ALFALFA LAND—ALFALFA LAND.
We have for sale within 22 miles of Los Angeles and very close to both the S. P. and Santa Fe R. R. stations, 225 acres of fine alfalfa land; the soil is A1, and the ground lies level; the railroad fare is 30c by ticket, and the freight rate is 75c per ton; we will guarantee 150 inches of water; adjoining property netted $35 per acre last season; we consider this property cheap at $150 to $175 per acre, but are authorized to sell it for $125 for quick sale, and at this figure it is unquestionably one of the cheapest A1 properties on the market; improvements consist of 2-story, 8-room house, large barn, etc.; will sell as a whole, or would sell 100 to 125 acres; there is no better investment property than good alfalfa land.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE, LTD., MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD. REMOVED TO SUITE 204, 12-STORY BRALY BLDG.

FOR SALE—
"BEST CLIMATE ON EARTH."
BARGAINS IN DESIRABLE RANCHES.
Ten acres, suitable for chicken ranch; small house; price $1600.
Fifteen-acre hog ranch, close to Glendale electric line; a fine property and a well-paying hog business; can be bought very low.
Eight acres on electric line near Moneta; fine soil; terms; price only $125 per acre.
Two and a half acres, with six-room cottage; strawberries, orange, lemon, plum, peach and apricot trees; close to Glendale electric line; price $3700.
Six acres, all in orange, lemon and walnut trees; fine two-story nine-room house; good barn; only one block from Glendale electric line; a beautiful home property; price $7200.
Ninety acres of good soil, on the Redondo electric line, close to Inglewood, $150 per acre.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.) Members L. A. Realty Board. Removed to SUITE 204. TWELVE-STORY BRALY BLDG. 3

FOR SALE—THE ST. GEORGE VINEyard offers for sale one of its best full-bearing vineyards, planted bearing vines and orange, olive, and other fruit trees; 150 acres, with fine dwelling, stabling and outhouses; also winery building; this rich property is offered for $40,000; terms, one-third cash, balance in easy annual payments; a perfect home and valuable property; anyone desiring a charming home will in this property find all that is desirable. As an investment it pays very largely. For further particulars, inquire of D. A. M'GEE, Secretary, St. George Vineyard, Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—
NOTICE.
Parties wishing to invest money in good lands from $5 to $8 per acre, in Kings and Tulare counties, California, subject to irrigation, either by canal or artesian water, will do well to write or come and see ISAAC N. WHITE of Hanford, who has thousands of acres to exchange for gold and silver dollars at 100 cents on the dollar. HANFORD, Box 55. 2

FOR SALE—ALFALFA, FRUIT, VINE OR grain lands in either the Modesto or Turlock irrigation districts. No water rights to buy. The land OWNS the water. We have been selling land in this county for 17 years and have the best of bargains to offer in city or country property. Call on or address T. E. B. RICE & SONS, Modesto, Cal.

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre. Also snaps in the Muddy and Vegas valleys. See J. F. M'PHERSON, 402 Stimson Block, corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—AT HYDE PARK, 1¼ ACRES, with 4-room modern house, barn, well and mill, plenty fruit, all fenced; an ideal chicken ranch; will sell cheap or exchange for vacant lots in city. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 1714. 7

FOR SALE—BUENA PARK (LOS ANGELES 18 miles,) 35 acres, alfalfa and fruit; $2500 income; 75 inches water; new pumping plant; fine outbuildings; new 8-room 2-story house. WATSON, 322 Trust Bldg. Phone 2790.

FOR SALE—COLUSA IRRIGATED LANDS, $65 per acre; alfalfa and fruits; 25 inches rain; splendid climate; rich deep soil; river transportation. Call or address C. M. WOOSTER CO., 410 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—THE BIGGEST BARGAIN IN acreage in Los Angeles county; will realize large profit on investment within one year; $12,000 required. See I. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 7

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH, HANDY to Los Angeles, 5 good acres, 6-room house; plenty mountain water piped on place; snap, $1500, worth $2500. F. SNOVER, 119 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—40 ACRES CHOICE ALFALFA land on Redondo electric line; county road on side, $125 acre; corner 16th and San Pedro for lease. Owner, 137 W. 16TH. 1

FOR SALE—10 OR 5 ACRES AT HALF ITS value, and your own terms; do not say you want a ranch and cannot get one. C. W. STEWART, 438 Douglas Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS WELL-STOCKED hog and poultry ranch for sale, or stock for sale and ranch for rent, close in. Apply 723 BUENA VISTA ST. 4

FOR SALE—LANDS AND RANCHES IN Muddy River Valley, on Salt Lake Railroad, in Nevada, for sale. Address A, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES IMPROVED RANCH with water, crops and personal property, near Fernando; owner going East. 420 STIMSON BLOCK. 1

FOR SALE—$2000; 10 ACRES GOOD LAND, bearing vines, fruit trees, house, barn. MRS. STALEY, near Katella School, Anaheim.

FOR SALE—$5 NOW BUYS NEVADA LANDS on Salt Lake R. R.; worth $50 per acre soon. C. BARSCHIG, 305 Copp Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—FRUIT AND ALFALFA LANDS, free excursion. Full information at A. B. SHOEMAKE & CO., 126 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA RANCH, ORANGE county, abundance artesian water. 234 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK. 5

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
—SUNNY SIDE—
WATCH IT GROW.
JAMES A KEENEY, OWNER.
Greatest-selling tract in Los Angeles. Half sold since May 9. 330 acres rich loam soil, subdivided in ¼-acre lots, ½-acre lots and 2½-acre tracts. Wide streets, graded and oiled. 200 inches of artesian water, which is being carried to each lot under pressure, which is deeded with the land free. One-half mile frontage on Vermont ave. One mile frontage on Figueroa, Main st. and Sunny Side ave. Two miles outside the city, only a few minutes' ride from the business center on vestibule cars. The Redondo, the Gardena branch from our office, or the Traction cars, the San Pedro branch at Third and Spring sts., to Sunny Side. The place for berry, chicken and garden ranches, suburban villa homes. Our prices and terms will remain the same until sold.
FREE EXCURSIONS will be run from our office every hour until Monday, June 6, including SUNDAY, JUNE 5, OFFICE OPEN.
Free transportation from our office.
See our illustrated booklet and maps at once.
GRIDER & HAMILTON, 225 W. Second st. Home 'Phone 1100. Sunset Main 836.

FOR SALE — FINE SUBURBAN HOME, price $3500; 1 acre, a fine 5 large room cottage, water piped all over the land; good barn, 4 chicken-houses and corrals; all kinds of fruit; 45 lemons, 30 olives, 13 navel oranges, 6 plums, 6 peach, 1 apple, 1 loquat, 1 apricot, 2 figs, only 35 minutes' drive from City Hall; the place is all fenced, lawn, flowers, in fact, the prettiest and closest in place you would care to see. Address H, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. Commission to agents. 1

FOR SALE—MUST SACRIFICE, A COMplete 10-acre ranch, only 9 miles from Los Angeles, ¾ mile from electric car line; 2½ acres strawberries, 5 alfalfa, family orchard, house, barn, chicken yards, abundance water, horse, buggy, 100 chickens; all goes for $3000; this is a sure bargain. J. D. M'CAULEY, 311 Grant Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—RANCH OF 5 ACRES, 12 MILES from Los Angeles and three miles from Santa Monica on electric car line; fine improvements and big income to begin with; for terms, address G. A. SMITH, box 31, Sawtelle, Cal. 5

HOLLYWOOD.
FOR SALE—LARGE LEVEL LOT, 50x150, near electric car line, near Western ave.; graded and graveled streets, cement curbs, water mains; price $400; terms, $10 down, $10 monthly; no interest, no taxes. CHAS. S. MANN, 315 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; 20-ACRE ORANGE ORchard, just off Magnolia ave., in fine condition, 1482 seedlings, 458 navels, in full bearing, good house, 8 rooms, large barn, packing and chicken-houses; owner has been on the place 27 years. Address box 1045, RIVERSIDE, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—AVALON, CATALINA, NEW 4-room frame cottage, fine location, furnished complete, all connected with sewer, flush closet, etc.; will exchange for Ocean Front lot at Hermosa Beach; give number of lot and block. OWNER, 804 W. 23d. 1

FOR SALE—OCEAN PARK, FINEST LOTS. Will sell for short time below market price.
25 feet, Clubhouse ave.
25 feet, Westminster ave., north side.
30 feet, Horizon ave., north side.
S. KIRVIN & CO., 81 Ocean Front.

FOR SALE—500 ACRES FOR SUBDIVISION and townsite on ocean front, sandy beach, R.R. station and P.O. on ground; natural center for town, will consider exchange for city, or will divide. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant. 2

OCEAN PARK.
FOR SALE—
SOUTH OCEAN PARK,
Formerly Short Line Beach, South Ocean Park.
The finest beach on the Coast;
Gas, electricity, sewer and water;
The new cut-off will soon be
Running direct into South Ocean Park.
Prices from $300 up.
STRONG & DICKINSON, 135 S. Broadway.
ROBT. MARSH & CO., Douglas Bldg.,
Or office on the tract.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN LOT AT OCEAN Park, on Clubhouse ave.; a swell street; $1200. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 1714.

LONG BEACH.
FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE OF 12 rooms, elegantly furnished, at Long Beach, one block from ocean and Pacific Electric Railroad, if sold this week will sell for $120, including one-half a month's rent, with 2 years' lease, good reasons for leaving. 429 E. FIRST ST., Long Beach. 3

FOR SALE—A VERY FINE LOT AT A bargain on American ave., street improvements all in; 50x150. See owner, 905 PINE AVE. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE: WE HAVE for sale, at Fernando, a fine 5-acre ranch property which can be bought at a bargain; the improvements are A1 and consist of nearly new 6-room cottage, barn, chicken house, windmill, tank, etc., there is plenty of water both for domestic use and for irrigation; will be sold cheap or will exchange for Los Angeles property, and if necessary add cash.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.,) MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD. REMOVED TO SUITE 204. 12-STORY BRALY BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT 40x135 TO ALLEY, street work, gas, sewer, one block from Hollenbeck Park, 2 minutes to either L. A. or L. A. Traction car; another lot, 50x165, with 2-room house, 1 block to either P. E. or L. A. car line, 14 minutes to First and Spring, price $1500, want small ranch within 20 miles of city; must have plenty water; alfalfa preferred. Will assume $500 if some stock goes with place; no commission; want to deal with owner. Address 3550 AROYO SECO AVE. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—
$800—Furniture of 9-room house, fine location, new, want lot or unimproved acreage.
$1900—Furniture of 24-room apartment house, new house and furniture, rent $4 per room; want lots or cottage.
$2000—Good 5-room cottage, near University, clear; want small ranch.
E. R. MENNELL, 420 W. Seventh. Phone 7891.

FOR EXCHANGE—A BEAUTY, PRICE $2750, a fine chicken ranch of 1 acre, water piped all over the place; a large 5-room A1 cottage, 96 fruit trees, lawn, flowers, chicken-houses, barn, chicken corrals, close to city limits, between the city and Hollywood; want a 5-room cottage in the city up to $2000; balance cash. See agents, HEBER & FARNUM, 107 S. Broadway. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—
WILL EXCHANGE A $6000 EQUITY IN $12,500 BEAUTIFUL MODERN WESTLAKE RESIDENCE, FOR A SUBURBAN HOME, WITH 3 TO 5 ACRES, HOLLYWOOD OR ALHAMBRA PREFERRED. F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 404 TRUST BLDG. MEMBERS REALTY BOARD. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—$14,000 WORTH OF NEW automobiles and $10,000 or up to $50,000 in cash for a good business block or good vacant lots or acreage; will pay cash or assume mortgage; autos are near, and exchange can be made without delay. See owner at W. P. LARKIN & CO., office 342 S. Main, Burbank Hall.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE, $3000; MODern 5-room cottage, completely furnished; with gas, porcelain bath, instantaneous heater, electric lights, mantel and grate; large corner lot, at Ocean Park, for city. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—A NICE BUSINESS, well established, worth $1500, to exchange for good rooming-house. R. E. MUNCY, 212 Frost Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — 1800-ACRE STOCK ranch, 360 acres alfalfa, plenty water, buildings and implements; 500 head of stock; good as gold mine; want California or good eastern. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 30

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for eastern. Member L. A. Realty Board. C. W. CONWAY, 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY EQUITY IN FINE lot or another lot in Charles V. Hall tract, clear, for brick work on new houses, same location. ALDERSON & SON, 305 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — WISH SANTA MONICA for pretty 6-room cottage; all modern conveniences; nicely improved lot, 60x200; centrally located, Pasadena. P. O. BOX 7.6, Pasadena. 1

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HANDLE REAL EState exchanges exclusively and have many choice properties. Send full description. F. M. SIMPSON & CO., 543 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—COUNTRY PROPERTY. Large or small ranches for eastern or vice versa; some choice deals. See me at 612 Grant Bldg. Phone 1714. M. W. ATWOOD.

FOR EXCHANGE—S. E. CORNER S. PARK ave. and 40th st., valued $1330, for cottage at beach or L. A., no agents. Address N, box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 NICE LOTS, ADJOINing, near Casa Loma Hotel, Redlands, $1000; exchange for equity Los Angeles. OWNER, 538 Wall st. 8

FOR EXCHANGE—AN ELEGANT NINE-room residence, clear, on fine street, for alfalfa land or ranch property. 616 GRANT BLDG. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 315-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. Office 303 and 305, BRYSON BLOCK, Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—$6000; MODERN HOME, half trade in city or beach lots, or cottage. DILLINGHAM, 315 W. Second.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO LOTS, TACOMA, Wash., for automobile. Owner, TEACHOUT. 'Phone 542. 2

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—
500 CITY LOTS, $10 A MONTH.
M. L. Wicks offers lots in northwest, west and southeast parts of the city at prices from one hundred dollars to nine hundred dollars each on payments to suit purchasers, interest at 6 per cent. per annum; you can take possession at once and erect any structure you see fit on rear half of the lots; payments of ten dollars a month are acceptable; certificate of title with each deed; on payment of one-third deed can be taken and mortgage given payable either ten dollars a month or at one and two years, 8½ per cent. gross interest, or 6 per cent. net. Come and see how nice a lot 50x150 feet, I can sell you at $125. M. L. WICKS, room 128, Hellman Block, Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—A PHONOGRAPH FREE.
Subscribers to The Times are offered a $7.50 Columbia graphophone at cost of freight, handling, etc., to wit: $1.25, which includes a single record of your own selection. The price of gold-molded records under this arrangement is 25 cents each; (former charge 50 cents each.) The machine can be heard to play at The Times office, where it is on exhibition daily. The plan will be explained fully to any one calling at The Times' Graphophone Department.

FOR SALE—LUMBER IN CAR LOTS, shipped to any point in Southern California or Arizona, to owners, contractors and dealers at the lowest possible wholesale prices; just established large wholesale yard at San Pedro, and will make the prices to get the business. Try us. WHITING'S, 9th and Maple.

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS IS WILLING TO divide a good thing. He does not want the last dollar a lot may be worth. See his advertisement in City Lots, and see him. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block, Second and Broadway. 3

FOR SALE—POULTRY WIRE AT JOBbers' price, only 44 cents per hundred square feet; best on the market; galvanized after weaving; new car just in. Do this to advertise our lumber business. WHITING'S, 9th and Maple.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, MY EQUITY in an acre of ground near Garvanza, owe $380, at $10 month; best soil in the country, and $600 piano for clear lot; also some fine Jersey cows for sale. L. BERGER, 1033 Yale st. 2

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS OFFERS CITY lots at prices to make them move. You can afford to buy a lot of him. Certificate of title furnished free with lot. M. L. WICKS, and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block. 2

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FOR SALE—PAINT!!! PAINT!!! MIXED paint, guaranteed on every can to be as good as the best, only $1.25; also 5 tons best white lead at 6¾ cents; our painter will figure your job. WHITING'S, 9th and Maple.

FOR SALE—GAS FIXTURES FOR 8 ROOMS, $5; new 3-burner gasoline stove, $5; new Kranich & Bach piano, $450; half cash, balance on time; no interest; party going East. Call at once 2612 E. THIRD ST. 1

FOR SALE—DIAMONDS; WANTED, PARTner with $1500 or $2000 to work with me rich alluvial diggings in South Africa; very serious reference. Address O, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—GOOD ROLL-TOP DESK, OFfice table, office chairs, rug, office completely furnished; price $30; bargain. 223 BRYSON BLOCK, corner Second and Spring sts. 1

FOR SALE—ONE DAN'L BEST TRACTION engine, 30-horse-power. For further particulars, address JOHN SUVERKEMP, P.O. box 284, San Bernardino, Cal.

FOR SALE — CUT RATES ON SPRING wagons, buggies, etc. CARRIAGE WRECKING CO., S.E. cor. Seventh and L. A. sts.

FOR SALE—A FEW FINE SECOND-HAND vehicles at bargain prices. PARROTT CARRIAGE CO., Tenth and Main sts.

FOR SALE—A FINE A. B. CHASE PARlor organ, almost new, very reasonable. Call at rear of 820 TOWNE AVE. 1

FOR SALE—CAR OF NEW WATER PIPE, ½ inch to 2 inch, in lots to suit, cheap. WHITING'S, 9th and Maple.

FOR SALE—MEN'S HALF SOLES, SEWED, 75c; ladies' 50c. FACTORY SHOE STORE, 608 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—NEW DROP-HEAD DOMESTIC sewing machine; also Standard machine. 1049 DIXON AVE. 21

FOR SALE—CHEAP, CALIFORNIA SOUVEnirs, orange and burnt-wood novelties. 504 S. BROADWAY. 1

FOR SALE — FIRE-PROOF SAFE; WILL buy, sell or exchange. 409 E. SECOND ST. 1

FOR SALE—ELEGANT UPRIGHT PIANO, very cheap for cash. Call at 322 W. FIFTH. 2

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FOR SALE—100 FEET NEW 12-INCH NEW casing. BOX 395, Ocean Park, Cal. 5

FOR SALE—STONE TOMATO PLANTS, $3 a thousand. 1500 MAPLE AVE. 2

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND SAFE AND hay scale. 212 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN A SODA WATER fountain. 423 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF SAFE. ANDERSON, 212 N. Main.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—NEW FURNITURE COMplete for housekeeping, of 5-room cottage, nice location, southwest; price $125; rent of cottage, $15. Address O, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 1

FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP, FURNITURE of 3-room flat, and flat for rent, $7, must be sold this week, leaving city. 3312 BALDWIN ST. 1

FOR SALE—FURNITURE, VERY FINE pieces and 3 pro-Brussels rugs. GODDARD, 425½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—NEWLY FURNISHED SIX-room flat, rent paid, until September 1. $10 S. GRAND. 6

FOR SALE — SELLING OUT FURNITURE, gas ranges, carpets, cheap. 553 S. OLIVE.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—
To purchase into a well established banking or commercial establishment, city or country.
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WANTED—PEOPLE TO INVEST $100 OR more, on personal investigation if they are satisfied; it will pay each investor $120 annually, in monthly installments, on each $100 invested. Money secured by Granite State Underwriting Company. Guaranteed by investment company with a capital of over $9,400,000. For information call or address rooms 302-3, Copp Bldg., 218 SOUTH BROADWAY, Los Angeles, Cal. 1

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE HALF INTEREST in established office business; must be good talker and rustler; can make good income; $300 required. See BOWMAN & HENRY, 306 W. Sixth st. 1

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

AM FORCED TO SACRIFICE VALUABLE mining interests; will sell half interest paying gold placer claims; $100 for one, $300 for eight; have other property under bond for $25,000 (deeds in bank;) will give half interest for advance of $1250; can secure party for part of investment to show good faith; can show values by government reports; have other good properties that are certain to repay investor large profits, and some of them can be sold inside of three months at 10 to 1. Address PROSPECTOR, O, box 1, Times office.

FOR SALE—THE VERY BEST CIGAR stand in the city of Los Angeles for the price, is an old established stand, with a good paying laundry agency; more than two months rent paid in advance; one year's lease; will bear strictest investigation; price $600. See J. W. CAMPBELL, 439 Copp Bldg., 218 S. Broadway. 7

POULTRY PLANT FOR RENT, $15 PER month; incubators, brooder-house, brooders, mixing shed, feed cutters, coops, pens, etc.; 4-room house, furnished; plenty of shade trees, 2½ acres, close in; party renting must buy fine lot thoroughbred stock, value $500; business paying. Call 921 N. SOTO, Brooklyn-ave. cars. 1

$200—RESTAURANT, CENTER OF CITY; only $15 per month; this restaurant has been clearing $150 per month; 2 large gas ranges, counter, stools, tables, chairs, plenty of dishes of all kinds, ice box, mirror, clock, electric fan, cash register; these fixtures will invoice $300. Ask owner, DOLPH M. GREENE, 637½ S. Broadway, room No. 1. 1

FOR SALE — INSURANCE BUSINESS, writing several thousand a year, including agency to large company; fine line of business on books; will sell at a big bargain if sold at once; other investments demanding undivided attention. Address O, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 1

$250—LAUNDRY ROUTE, HORSE, WAGON, harness; family trade; clearing from $18 to $25 per week; with steam laundry; we will teach you route one week; this is a clean, easy, healthful job, that anybody can do, and be your own boss. See DOLPH GREENE, 637½ S. Broadway, room 1. 1

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FOR SALE—RESTAURANT FEEDING 260 people per day, the very best of location and only first-class trade solicited, meals 25c and up, 2 years' lease, 3 meals per day pay rent, price $175. See BOWMAN & HENRY, 306 W. Sixth st. 1

COMPETENT AND EXPERIENCED POULtryman desires to communicate with party having the necessary capital and courage to erect large poultry plant; object being the production of eggs and squabs for market. H. WIRZ, Ethanac, Cal.

FOR SALE—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, A FIRST-class real estate man to take entire charge of established real estate office and business and divide profits with owner; only experienced party need apply. Address M, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE ON WEST side of Main st.; very centrally located; rent $12.50 per month; doing a fine business, stock and fixtures invoice $460; will sell for $450. See BOWMAN & HENRY, 306 W. Sixth st. 1

$800 — MEAT MARKET ON BROADWAY; clearing $250 per month; good established business; in this market 15 years; very best of fixtures and fine location; good reason for selling. Ask WECKERLY, 637½ S. Broadway, room 1. 1

FOR SALE—IN HOLLYWOOD—ONE OF THE best equipped meat markets in the State; a large list of regular customers; horses, wagons; everything goes at 2-3 actual value. M'CADDEN & CO., Hollywood, Cal. Phone Home 84. 2

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M. L. WICKS OFFERS CITY LOTS AT prices to make them move. You can afford to buy a lot of him. Certificate of title furnished free with lot. M. L. WICKS and M. L. WICKS, JR., 128 Hellman Block. 2

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$250 — CIGAR STAND, FINE LOCATION, center of city; cheap rent; good stock and fixtures; clearing $3.75 per day; rent paid up till June 21. Ask owner, DOLPH GREENE, 637½ S. Broadway, room No. 1. 1

$325—CIGAR STAND, CLEARING $1 PER day; good location; fine stock of goods and good fixtures; must be sold at once; owner going north at once; snap. Ask WECKERLY, 637½ S. Bradway, room 1. 1

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT DOING A FINE business, located in center of city, clearing $10 per day; can be bought for $500; good reasons for selling. See BOYLES & BINNEY, 530 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—4-CHAIR BARBER SHOP; FINE mirrors; clock; all fixtures up-to-date, and doing fine business; good reason for selling; price $475. Ask WECKERLY, 637½ S. Broadway, room 1. 1

FOR SALE—GOOD PAYING BUSINESS FOR two persons; house, stock, fixtures; good reason for selling. Apply CHARLES FISHER, bath No. 15, on walk west of bathhouse. 1

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET, DAILY REceipts about $75; rent $35 month, with 2-year lease; fine fixtures; this is a money maker; price $1100. See BOWMAN & HENRY, 306 W. Sixth. 1

$1800 CASH BUYS BEST FITTED-UP RESTaurant on Broadway, heart of city; doing fine business; owner going East; must sell at once. Address G, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 1

CASH CORNER GROCERY, RIGHT IN THE heart of town; trade averages $30 day; all fresh goods; positive bargain.
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FOR SALE—THE BEST, MOST CENTRAL located, finest-equipped restaurant at Ocean Park; high-class trade; ill health. Address the OWNER, BOX 335, Ocean Park. 1

FOR SALE—CIGAR, FRUIT, ETC. THE best buy in the city everything new, with lease. If you want a snap call before Thursday, at 620½ W. 6TH ST. 1

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED NEWSPAPER route men to handle circulation on Fresno Evening Democrat. Chance to build up good business. Write for particulars.

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FOR SALE—A WELL-PAYING CLEANING and dyeing establishment, on account of leaving city; must be a tailor. Address D, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 1

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WANTED—MAN WITH LITTLE MONEY to go in on a few good mining prospects; come in at once. 609-10 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 11

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—TO BORROW $2000 ON 7 FINE lots, 100x200; will take either short or long loan and pay 7 per cent. net. Address N, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—LOAN OF $700 ON GOOD CITY property. BURKHART, 218 W. Fifth. 1

MONEY WANTED—

WANTED—$6000 ON CLOSE-IN ACREAGE; $3000 on S. Main-st. property; $1700 on house and lot. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

WANTED—PRIVATE MONEY FOR SEVeral small mortgages, good security, 7 per cent.; no commission. Address H, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 31

WANTED—$4000 BUILDING LOAN, HOUSE and lot, worth $10,000; plans at 1644 GRAMERCY PLACE, or drop card; will call with plans. 2

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Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—
AUCTION SALE.
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SPORTING PAGE.

INCREASE OF RACE GOERS.

New York Notes Fifty Per Cent. Over Last Year.

Sixty Thousand People Packed at Gravesend.

***Amateur** Golf Championship Contests.*

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Race-track attendance has increased 50 per cent. over last year. Previous to last year, there were steady gains in attendance. If the growth in the popularity of racing continues, what is going to happen? is being asked.

There is certainly not room at the local courses to accommodate the people. At Gravesend yesterday, particularly when the betting ring was emptied, the lawns were so packed that it was almost impossible to turn around. Though the racing authorities had anticipated great increase in attendance this year, they were not prepared for such remarkable outpouring as was seen at Gravesend yesterday. The attendance at Aqueduct and Jamaica was something to wonder at, and old-timers marveled at the great attendance Saturday at Westchester. The handicap crowd at Gravesend then eclipsed all records, and yesterday established a high-water mark, which will only be equaled, if at all, at Sheepshead during the Suburban, or on July 4.

It is estimated that 60,000 people were at Gravesend yesterday.

JEFF IN GOOD CONDITION.

COULD FIGHT AT ONCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARBIN SPRINGS, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]—Two of the best judges of pugilists on this coast,—Col. Martin Brady, the politician, and Dick Adams, a hotel keeper of San Francisco, are here. After studying Jeffries for several days, they said today that they considered him in fit condition to fight at once, if necessary. Certainly, the champion looks good to see. He is burned as brown as an Indian, and though he weighs at least 225 pounds, he is as light on his feet as he was that memorable night in San Francisco when he outpointed Corbett, and was a revelation to all who had seen him in the ring with Ruhlin and Fitzsimmons.

Jeffries began regular boxing today with Kennedy and his brother Jack and the way he hustled them around was painful at least to them. When Jeffries gets excited, he isn't conscious how heavily he hits, and both his sparring partners are in constant danger of a knockout blow. Jeffries is playing handball every day, as he regards this as fine exercise for the wind.

FIELDS WINS.

VERY SHORT FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frank Fields sent Tommy Elks down for the final count with a vicious right-hand swing to the jaw tonight before thirty seconds of the first round had passed. The fight was a farce; Elks was outclassed. He was in a crouching position when he received the punch, falling to his hands and knees and having to be helped to his corner. He asked for another match. The six-round preliminary between John L. Sullivan Jr., and Kid Montana was declared a draw though the Kid looked to have the best of it. Willie Elks won a decision over Franks in the other four-round fight.

NEW WORLD'S RECORD.

FOR PACE FOLLOWERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) May 31.—Bobby Walthour at Charles River Park tonight established a new world's record for pace followers by riding thirty miles in competition in 33 minutes, 52 3-5 seconds. Four men started in the race, Walthour, Nat Butler, George Leander and William Stinson. The previous record was made by Harry Caldwell in 1903, and was 35 minutes, 15 4-5 seconds.

Stinson was not properly going when the gun was fired, and retired after a few laps. Walthour easily out-distanced his other competitors, Leander finishing second and Butler third.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

PULLIAM FAVORS NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—President Pulliam of the National Baseball League today gave out a statement regarding the matter of the protested game between the St. Louis and New York clubs, played at St. Louis May 7, and which was won by the latter. He denied the protest of the St. Louis club, and the game in question stands as a victory for the New York club.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

DETROIT WINS LONG ONE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DETROIT, May 31.—Detroit won an exciting 11-inning game on Hemphill's muff of an easy fly, which scored two runs. St. Louis had made four hits in the eleventh. Both pitchers did well with a wet ball, as it rained all afternoon. The attendance was 500. Score:

Detroit 4, hits 8, errors 1.

St. Louis 3, hits 7, errors 7.

Batteries—Mullin and Woods; Pelly and Kahoe.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

M'GINNITY WAS IN FORM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—McGinnity and Miller were in form and hits, and runs were scarce. The single tally of the game was made by New York in the second inning on a base of balls, a single and an out. The attendance was 900. Score:

New York 1, hits 6, errors 3.

Philadelphia 0, hits 2, errors 0.

Batteries—McGinnity, and Bowerman; Mitchell and Dooin.

Umpire—O'Day.

BROOKLYN—BOSTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BROOKLYN, May 31.—Brooklyn defeated Boston today in the final game of the present series. Cronin pitched excellent ball, the visitors being unable to bunch their hits against him. The attendance was 6000. Score:

Brooklyn 8, hits 9, errors 2.

Boston 1, hits 7, errors 2.

Batteries—Cronin and Ritter; Wilhelm, Fisher and Needham.

Umpire—Johnstone.

POSTPONED GAMES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, May 31.—Pittsburgh-St. Louis National game postponed; rain.

CLEVELAND, May 31.—Cleveland-Chicago American game postponed; rain.

LEAGUE CLUBS' STANDING.

PERCENTAGES TO DATE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Percentages of league clubs to date:

National League—		American League—	
New York	.694	Boston	.714
Chicago	.685	Cleveland	.586
Cincinnati	.588	Philadelphia	.571
St. Louis	.500	New York	.550
Pittsburgh	.457	Chicago	.538
Brooklyn	.395	Washington	.188
Boston	.371	Detroit	.339
Philadelphia	[illegible]	St. Louis	.455

Delmar Summary.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—Mile and twenty yards: Exapo won, Lady Matchless second, Jingler third; time 1:55½.

Four and a half furlongs, purse: Col. White won, Willowdeen second, Happy Chappy third; time 1:01.

One mile and twenty yards, selling: Gas Lighter won, Firstone second, Ciales third; time 1:55½.

Five furlongs, purse: Mattie H. won, Footlight Favorite second, Atlas third; time 1:09¼.

Five furlongs, selling: Franco won, Joe Kelly second, Edith May third; time 1:10.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Dawson won, Boodler second, Iras third; time 2:07½.

Latonia Summary.

CINCINNATI, May 31.—Six and a half furlongs: Prince Light won, Sanctissima second, Gendon third; time 1:25.

Five furlongs: Nadzarra won, Itaskra second, Monaco Maid third; time 1:05½.

One mile: Apple won, Florence Fonso second, Santa Luna third; time 1:46.

Five furlongs: Black Art won, Dictator second, Preventive third; time 1:05.

One mile and seventy yards: Mr. Farnum won, Dream second, Goo Goo third; time 1:46.

Six and a half furlongs: Quiz II won, Mr. Wiggs second, Graceon third; time 1:25¼.

Hawthorne Races.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Four and a half furlongs: Miss Jordan won, Sea Voyage second, Pedesta third; time 0:58¼.

Steeplechase, short course: Itacatiara won, Hand Vice second, Ceylon third; time 2:52.

One mile: Bondage won, Moharib second, Glassful third; time 1:43 4-5.

One mile and seventy yards: Foncasta won, Mojave second, Gold Miner third; time 1:43½.

Five furlongs: Americano won, Irene Lindsey second, Nannie Hodges third; time 1:02.

Five and a half furlongs: Silver Skin won, Gleeman second, J. L. Johnson third; time 1:01 3-5.

Gravesend Results.

NEW YORK, May 31.—About six furlongs: Ascension won, King Pepper second, Athol third; time 1:11 1-5.

Five furlongs: Schulamite won, Wayward Lass second, Salt and Pepper third; time 1:02 1-5.

About six furlongs: Collector Jessup won, Ort Wells second, John F. third; time 1:10 1-5.

The Parkway Handicap, one mile and a sixteenth: Major Daingerfield won, Africander second, Himself third; time 1:02 3-5.

Handicap, one mile and seventy yards: Hurst Park won, Audience second, Tocsin third; time 1:48.

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Portland	58	17	41	.293

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San Francisco, 2; Los Angeles, 1.

The Seals, or whatever you call 'em, had about as much right to win the game as they have to take the pennant, and the only reason they got it was costly errors by Los Angeles. Hall pitched a fine game, but Toman and Smith went wrong and the game went with them. About one thousand fans were in attendance, and while the game was one of the fastest ever played here it was one of the most listless, for neither the fans nor the Looloos appear to have recovered from the strenuous life they had last week with Oakland. It is not to be supposed that the pace could be kept up very long, and everyone seemed to feel the effects of it yesterday.

The real feature of the game, if it had one, was a remark of Phil Knell, acting as umpire in place of McDonald, who was sick. Phil is one of Hank the Penman's pitchers, and while no one would accuse him of unfairness, because he has shown that he is a good umpire, his few words during the last half of the seventh inning and what he did, show that the spirit within him was pulling for the 'Frisco team yesterday. Smith and Bernard were on second and first as the result of singles, and the fans were yelling for Wheeler to sap the ball and bring them in. He hit a long fly to left field, and as Smith started for third base Knell ran from behind the pitcher's box toward the plate and yelled to the 'Frisco team, "back him up," meaning that Jones should get behind the catcher to stop a throw to the plate that might escape. Knell himself got behind Leahy and if the throw had passed by it is more than likely that Knell would have stopped the ball. The fans gave Knell the big laugh, and it was about the only amusement in the game. There was not a teaspoonful of ginger in any player.

Hank made his first run on singles by Waldron and Meany, and Smith's error of Leahy's grounder, and the second came on a pass to Gorton, Toman's juggle of Jones's grounder and Hildebrand's single.

The locals secured their only run on a pass to Toman, singles by Flood and Bernard and Wheeler's out at first. Jones did fairly well in the pitching line, holding us down when hits meant runs and getting practically perfect support, Hildebrand's wild throw of Spies' grounder in the second doing no harm.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Toman, ss	3	1	2	0	0	5	1
Flood, 2b	4	0	1	0	4	1	1
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	3	1
Bernard, cf	4	0	3	1	4	0	0
Wheeler, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, lf	4	0	0	0	5	0	0
Chase, 1b	4	0	0	0	12	0	0
Spies, c	3	0	0	0	2	1	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	1	7	2	27	11	3

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hildebrand, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	4	1
Waldron, cf	4	1	1	0	3	0	0
Meany, rf	4	0	2	1	1	0	0
Leahy, c	4	0	0	1	3	2	0
Anderson, ss	4	0	0	0	2	5	0
Reitz, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Massey, 1b	4	0	0	0	13	0	0
Gorton, lf	2	1	0	0	2	0	0
Jones, p	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	2	4	2	*26	13	1

*Smith out, bunting third strike.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	2	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	—7
San Francisco	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2
Base hits	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—4

SUMMARY.

First base on errors—Los Angeles, 1; San Francisco, 2.

Left on bases—Los Angeles, 5; San Francisco, 4.

First base on called balls—Off Jones, 2; off Hall, 1.

Struck out—By Hall, 1; by Jones, 2.

Time of game—1h. 30m.

Umpire—Phil Knell.

Late Ball Games.

All local fans should take notice that the ball games at Chutes Park are now called at 3 o'clock instead of 2:30 o'clock. This is done because the days are now longer and many people find it inconvenient to get away at 2:30 o'clock.

RUBBED IN ANOTHER DEFEAT.

OAKLAND WINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The Oaklands, on their own grounds today, rubbed another defeat in on Portland. Both teams were crippled by the absence of regular men. The Northerners outbatted and outfielded Oakland, yet lost. Score:

PORTLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Druhot, cf	5	1	1	0	3	4	1
McCreedie, rf	5	0	1	0	4	0	0
Nadeau, ss	4	1	1	0	2	5	0
Beck, 2b	5	1	3	0	2	3	0
Murphy, 1b	5	1	2	0	8	0	1
Steelman, 3b	4	0	3	0	3	1	0
Shea, c	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Butler, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Conners, p	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	40	4	12	0	24	13	2

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	3	2	1	0	1	0	0
Kruger, cf	3	0	2	2	2	1	0
Meskiman, ss	4	0	0	0	2	1	2
Schafly, 2b	4	1	2	0	3	0	0
J. Streib, 1b	2	1	1	0	4	0	0
Devereaux, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	5	0
Byrnes, c	3	1	1	0	12	0	0
T. Streib, lf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Buchanan, p	4	0	1	0	0	2	1
Totals	31	5	9	2	27	9	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portland	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	— 4
Base hits	3	0	0	3	4	1	0	0	1	—12
Oakland	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	x	— 5
Base hits	1	1	3	0	1	2	1	0	x	— 9

SUMMARY.

Home run—Schafly.

Three-base hit—Ganley.

Two-base hit—Beck.

Sacrifice hits—Devereaux, J. Streib.

First base on errors—Portland, 2; Oakland, 1.

First base on called balls—Off Conners, 3; off Buchanan, 1.

Left on bases—Portland, 10; Oakland, 8.

Struck out—By Conners, 1; by Buchanan, 12.

Double play—Nadeau to Beck to Murphy.

Time of game—1h. 50m.

Umpire—Huston.

POSTPONED SLOPE GAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TACOMA, May 31.—Tacoma-Seattle game postponed; rain.

NEW UMPIRE.

TOM BROWN IS SIGNED.

Word comes from the north that President Bert of the Coast League has signed Tom Brown as an umpire and this means that one of the present staff of three will be dropped. Brown is an old player, with a reputation of considerable magnitude. He is now in Washington, D. C., and has been ordered to report at once.

This means that either Huston, McDonald or O'Connell will have to go, and in all probability Huston will get the ax. He has a lot of enemies around San Francisco and they have been knocking for some months. He gave fair satisfaction while here, but as the San Francisco people have him marked he is done for. McDonald stands an equal chance of going, for his health is not good. Huston is strong enough, but it is thought that his habit of fining obstreperous players has made them sour on him.

MASSIE STILL PLAYS.

It will be noticed that the San Francisco team is playing Bill Massie at first base, although he was benched in the north. A San Francisco paper hints that Hank has another gold brick in Bill because he has not been hitting up to his eastern reputation, but this may be because he has not found his stride.

CHOICE-SCORE TOURNAMENT.

EDWARDS AND FREDERICKSON TIE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Dr. W. H. Spinks Wins First Handicap in a Twenty-eight Entry. Long-Handicap Men Take Everything—Tie Play Next Sunday—Mistakes of Managers.

The fight for the championship of the Country Club Monday resulted in a deadlock between Frank Edwards and William Frederickson—two of the acknowledged "experts" of the club. Their score of 164 for 36 holes is six worse than bogey, and scarcely as low as club champions should bring in from the present fast course.

But, nevertheless, it was good enough to be full nine strokes better than the next man, Winsor Walton, and so far ahead of the general run of cards as to be somewhat remarkable just by force of contrast.

This brings up a rather nice point regarding the score question. While not new, it generally succeeds in getting itself shelved more or less gingerly, with little or no benefit to anybody concerned—except, possibly, the ones who least deserve it.

The point is this: If a player having some degree of standing—real or imaginary—fails to make a round at least fairly representative of his powers, he is at once attacked with the temptation to give in no score, and in this way avoid the loud-spoken reproach of the telltale figures.

Now, it is not pretended for one moment that the player is not within his rights when he does this. But it is asserted, and that very strongly, that it is pretty hard on those who have the courage to look their misdoings in the face and own up to them—even at the expense of running the gauntlet of the joshing crowd.

It is true that oftentimes a player will fail to hole out, and, hence, has no score to turn in. But the plain fact is that the sportsmanlike golfer should play out every hole and give in his card, no matter what its dimensions.

Another point: Tournaments of the ordinary club type should never be jumbled into a single class—if only for the very simple reason that long-handicap men are usually either beginners or inexperienced, and so cannot be expected to either know the rules or observe the etiquette which are not only the very life and breath of the game, but absolutely essential to the full enjoyment of the old-timer.

This very thing gave rise yesterday to a most uncomfortable state of affairs, to say the least; and, moreover, nearly brought about the disqualification of the first handicap prize men.

As a matter of fact, if golf is to fulfill its just intent, it must be played from the standpoint of sweet reasonableness and sound common sense; and it should be somebody's bounden duty in every club to see that these considerations are borne in upon the appreciation of every newcomer. It most assuredly is not fair to the neophyte that he should be allowed to unknowingly cause general discomfort; nor, on the other hand, should it have to be the unpleasant task of any older member to give voice to the protests which sooner or later become absolutely an imperious necessity.

But to turn to the tournament score, with a few brief comments. Three handicap prizes were proffered by the club, and all of these, it will be seen, went to long-handicap men.

W. H. Spinks, one of the more recent accessions to the playing ranks, brought in a choice score of 89; and this, with a generous handicap, landed him safely ahead of the better-known men. As already intimated, he fell upon a rather troublous period of questioning regarding the observance of rules; but it was made plain that there was no room for protest, and the clouds passed by.

A. F. Morlan of president's-cup fame, ran a good second, with L. T. Bradford—who is apparently forsaking his first love, tennis, for golf—just one safe notch above Sumner Hunt, Mr. Morlan's recent vanquisher.

There was an almost pathetic interest attaching to the fact that, while the Messrs. Ellis, Ingram, Denis and Chapman had sufficiently recovered from their automobile catastrophe to take part in the tournament, only the first named was capable of turning in a score. It is assumed that the long enforced fast had told too severely upon systems but ill prepared to face such hardships.

The play-off of the tie between Edwards and Frederickson for the club championship, and its accompanying medal, is to be a 36-hole affair of Sunday next. The outcome is apparently a toss-up; but, in any event, it is eminently satisfactory that it lies between the only two men who, as things are, occupy the club's scratch class. Winsor Walton belongs there; but he has at present only one chance a week for practice, and it is simply impossible to hold a tiptop game in hand for tournament play under such conditions. The score is as follows:

	1st round.	2nd round.	Gross.	Choice score.	Handicap.	Net.
W. H. Spinks	96	98	194	91	22	69
A. F. Morlan	84	96	180	81	12	69
L. T. Bradford	100	96	196	90	20	70
S. P. Hunt	92	86	178	79	8	71
F. H. Edwards	82	82	164	74	2	72
W. Frederickson	79	85	164	75	2	73
W. Walton	87	86	173	77	4	73
J. W. Brond	..	..	..	77	4	73
E. D. Silent	83	..	..	79	6	73
A. H. Bray	86	88	174	80	6	74
W. H. Holliday	..	..	..	84	10	74
G. B. Ellis	102	92	194	86	12	74
P. R. Wilson	86	96	182	83	8	75
A. Eumiller	89	97	186	83	8	75
S. G. Wilson	101	..	..	91	16	75
J. E. Cook	90	..	..	84	8	76
A. Crutcher	..	..	..	86	10	76
S. S. Parsons	111	109	220	101	22	79
J. F. Sartori	..	..	..	86	6	80
R. T. Pettigrew	..	..	..	94	14	80
F. Stevenson	95	98	193	91	10	81

FIND COURSE DIFFICULT.

Making Avalon Not Easy to the Yachtsmen.

Study of Sailing Route is a Hard Problem.

Southeast Trades Lost Under Mountainous Shores.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN PEDRO, May 31.—Real California weather favored those lovers of the leaping wave who sailed from port with bold hearts last Saturday. The first annual cruise of the South Coast Yacht Club which ended today was an event to be remembered, as it was more than usually successful. That such a young club as this should be able to send out over a score of weatherly vessels for sixty miles of the open ocean is something for richer clubs of the Atlantic coast to consider—for many of them fail to make so good a record.

DIDN'T LEAVE IN BUNCH.

The formalities which are supposed to accompany the starting of a semi-official affair of this kind seemed to be almost wholly unobserved. This was partly due to the fact that the craft which were to form the cruising fleet did not leave from a common anchorage or rendezvous such as might have been obtained off the club's wharf in San Pedro Bay, but approached the line of the course for Catalina from widely different positions. Some yachts including the flagship, the schooner Nautilus, were at anchor near fishing vessels of similar rig in the open ocean off Terminal, while a number of others had to reach the open by beating out five miles through the enclosed waters on the Wilmington side of the South Coast Yacht Club. When these latter were able to round out past Dead Man's Island about the time mentioned for the official start it was impossible, in the distance, to distinguish the yachts from the fishing vessels at anchor off Terminal and the general supposition among these boats was that the fleet had already left. A small sloop, supposed to be Secretary's Overton's Partola, was seen on ahead, and it was inferred that the secretary would not be going off by himself if there were formalities still to be observed; so the Edna and several other yachts slid out for the breakwater and hauled up on the course to Avalon.

ONE CRAFT WORE GREEN.

The Enda was rounding the breakwater as Dr. Folsom's Mischief weathered Dead Man's Island. The Mischief came along flying Sir Thomas Lipton's private signal—the green shamrock on the yellow square that is boardered by green. This is the best known and best liked private signal in the world and every sailor-man along the five miles of wharves appreciated the fact the flag of the great America Cup challenger was here receiving its first introduction to the waters of the Pacific. Several English ships, including the big Hawthornbank and Wray Castle, had brought hundreds of British sailors to the important harbor of San Pedro and the American sailors who had shipped at New York or Boston were all familiar with the flag and enthusiastic over it. This particular bunting was formerly flown on Shamrock I with which Sir Thomas Lipton first challenged for the America's Cup and was given, away back in 1899, to one of the guests sailing with Dr. Folsom on this cruise.

The Mischief was the only boat in the fleet that carried ladies on board throughout the cruise. Dr. and Mrs. Folsom had with them Mrs. Murray, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Walter Folsom accompanied her husband, who is one of the owners. Mr. William Birk was unable to leave in time and came across on board the Venus in the succeeding night. Mrs. Birk, who was to have sailed on the Mischief, preferred to cross in the steamer. William Christie of Los Angeles, and Thomas S. Jarvis of San Pedro, lately of New York, were also on board.

DELAY OF NEW SUIT.

Mr. Bailey's magnificent auxiliary cruiser, the ketch Evian, was the next to pass the breakwater and curtesy to the crisp rollers outside. Here she, like all the others, came up into the wind to get her sheets aft, and then she payed off to the full force of the southwest trades that were flinging the water merrily. Owing to the unfortunate delay of Herbert Pease's Venus, which had to receive a new suit of clothes, the expected race between her and the Mischief did not come off; but there were other sources of excitement on hand for the twenty-five mile course to Avalon, and in this detachment the contest was between the Edna, Mischief and Evian. The Edna's lead on the Mischief had already been started, and the ketch both took a more weatherly course than the Mischief, while the latter took a started behind the Folsom sloop. The Edna and the ketch both took a more weatherly course than the Mischief, while the latter took a started sheet all the way from the breakwater in order to pilot her through for the southerly end of Santa Catalina Island. This course requires some local knowledge; for Avalon, like every other good thing, is hard to get, and the accepted method of reaching that desired haven is one that has to be learned through local experience. When one runs in under the high mountain of Long Point one loses the southwest trades entirely; but down at the southerly end of the island the wind steals in around the high volcanic cones and gives a southeast breath that slowly leads sailing vessels on their port tack into the little cove of Avalon. As designed by nature, Catalina is solely for goats and artists, though there are numerous human beings, chiefly lovers of fishing, who nestle in her crannies and cañons and remain in communication with the rest of the world through the aid of wireless telegraphy and boats.

PUZZLE OF COURSES.

But the leading yachts did not follow the generally advised plan for entry, because it looked so likely that on this breezy day they might enjoy the rare privilege of sailing straight to the harbor. This mistake was expensive to the leaders. The big ketch, which had pulled up her one mile in a hard twenty, was now on almost even terms with the Mischief, though far to windward on this leeward course to Avalon. She sailed first into the calm under Long Point. A moment later, the Mischief got put out of business by the freakishness of the local wind. The Edna which had been passed and left three miles astern, then came along directly in the wake of the Mischief; but, seeing the latter boat hopelessly in the doldrums, she bore away, while still in the breeze, for the southerly end if the island, and was thus able to reach slants that wafted her into an anchorage.

A considerable number of other yachts, including the flagship Nautilus, which were bringing up the rear, profited in the same way by the misfortunes of the leaders and reached Avalon early. Yet William Pugh, of Pasadena, a sailor of much local experience who was in command of the Myth, also got caught in the same way and accompanied the Mischief through the tedium of a three-hour calm.

William Bailey was not incommoded in any way by running out of the wind. He simply ordered the bronze screw to be put in motion and the Evian skimmed away softly, and soon disappeared as completely as if the island had swallowed her.

It was queer sailing for a New Yorker. There is nothing like it on this side of the Grecian Archipelago. This stealing along in the greenish-blue shadows of great cliffs that come down hundreds of feet to plunge straightway to a 600-foot depth brought back old memories of Patmos and Cos and Syra and Samos where the delights of yachting are pretty much the same. Some of those who were detained by the light airs objected, but there were no kicks coming from this writer as the yacht slipped in toward a great tusk of rock that forms an eye-tooth in the mouth of Avalon. The seals were barking curiously on the jagged promontory while the daylight waned and the moon had already climbed a mountain range to make a fairyland of Avalon.

On almost every side, precipices and high mountains looked down on the little harbor and the gay cruising fleets and the sparkling crescent of lights. Then the late steamer arrived from San Pedro and red fires were touched off on the Sugar Loaf tusk and on different rocks of the harbor. Everybody was out strolling on the shores to enjoy the balmy air as the white yachts and cliffs were suddenly clothed in lurid red and one of Sir Henry Irving's transformation scenes was witnessed.

SPECTERS CAST OUT.

On shore there a magnificent floor, and a band, and dancing that did not seek to beat the band, and there were good meals and good cigars, but the seals cared nothing for these things and simply barked their contempt. There were lovers seen climbing round the rock-cut paths that overhang the boiling surf; there were cooings and glances and meetings and partings and vows merely made to be "busted" yet the seals barked on. Far into the night I was awakened by a dreadful figure in a long white beard that sat in the companionway and announced in sepulchral tones that he was my father's ghost. I soon found that this specter had about twenty other demons with him and that they could be bought off by a liquid refreshment called "booze." This strange company moved from yacht to yacht and seemed to be actuated by a love for Shakespeare and a thirst—a thirst for adventure simply, which resulted in several of the specters and spectators being swamped in a small boat.

But the seals kept on barking at all these vagaries, and at last we were tempted to take a swim, so as to induce sleep; but just when about to dive off, some marine monster poked its head above the water and regarded us. It had a body like a bloated snake and a dog's head with whiskers, and it blew water out of its nose. Altogether, we did not seem to care any longer to bathe in those moonlit waters. Not having studied the habits of the seal except in the Bering Sea Arbitration, we judged that it would be wiser to remain in our bunks.

On Sunday William Bailey took the ladies and crew of the Mischief for a sail on the Pacific, and everything on board was found capable of giving pleasurable moments, especially the colored steward. After some unproductive fishing, the party returned to the land to find that other boats had been more successful—some catching as many as sixteen yellowtail. The carts of the professional fishermen were going around collecting hundreds of pounds of fish here given to them.

On Memorial Day the cruise was extended by some of the yachts to the Isthmus, where they stayed last night and returned today. For the sail to San Pedro, Commodore Jenkins gave the starting signal at 10 o'clock, when the Evian, Edna, Venus, Myth Portcia, and many others weighed anchor. The Marie got outside before the rest of the fleet and proved herself to be a slippery craft in the light airs in which the fleet beat up under Long Point.

DIFFICULTY OF LANDING.

But when near this promontory the fleet experienced a calm and a shapeless roll for a couple of hours. However, none of the ladies on cruise were sick, and about 3 o'clock the Marie was seen to get the first of the breeze, when she lay down to it and ran almost out of sight before the Mischief walked off from the rest of the fleet in the same aggravating way. The Nautilus, the Edna and others were left still longer in the calm. The Mischief flew home and rounded the breakwater soon after 5 o'clock. As the Venus returned to Avalon after the official start, her time was not taken on the return. Mr. and Mrs. Birk returned by steamer. Much difficulty was experienced by the yachtsmen in landing from the small boats at Avalon. They were not provided with any kind of float and were compelled to take the shore in the swing of the water.

STINSON JARVIS.

AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS.

CONTEST OPEN AT SANDWICH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The amateur golf championship contest opened at Sandwich today in wet weather. There were 104 entries, including half a dozen Americans, namely: Walter J. Travis, C. E. Dick, E. M. Byers, W. W. Burton, F. O. Horstman, C. E. Emmett and J. Walter. Four days will be occupied with the championship games.

In the first round H. W. Orr beat Horstman, 4 up and 3 to play.

W. W. Burton, American, beat Norman Cockrell, 3 up and 2 to play.

Walter J. Travis beat H. Holden by 4 up and 3 to play.

E. M. Byers beat Dick, 2 up and 1 to play. This was one of the most surprising results of the day.

In the second round, D. E. Emmett beat Gilbert Elliott by one hole and Crawford Hutchinson beat Moller by one hole.

Burt beat A. Cant by 2 up and 1 to play, and Walter J. Travis beat Robb by one hole.

Byers beat Asa Peto, 4 up and 2 to play.

AMERICAN'S VICTORY "FINE."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 31.—Travis's opponent in the second round was James Robb of Glasgow, twice runner-up of the championship, and the American's victory, was considered one of the finest performances of the day. At the turn Travis led by 2 up, which he increased, but he lost his advantage at the twelfth and fourteenth holes. Travis reached the home green with one, and halved the last hole.

Miller and Hutchinson played a close match, which they carried to the home green.

In the third round, they will meet R. Graham Murray, son of the Secretary for Scotland, and Byers will meet J. Williamson.

The American method of negotiating stymies by knocking an opponent's ball beyond, while the other is dribbled into the hole, was a revelation to the Britishers.

OUR HARBOR FRONTAGE.

Franchise Application Before Supervisors.

Attention Drawn to Plan of Constructing Slips.

Matter Postponed Until New Lines Are Approved.

Franchises for frontage in San Pedro Harbor have been dispensed in the past years with such lavish hand that the day when there will be no more frontage to give away is clearly within sight. The Board of Supervisors realize the fact, but they are not a unit in their ideas, and the Chamber of Commerce has stepped into the breach in order to sustain the board, if it adopts some more businesslike and conservative method of apportioning the harbor frontage than has hitherto obtained.

Yesterday was the time set for determining whether the application of the Los Angeles Car Company for a franchise to about eight hundred feet of frontage should be granted. Capt. C. H. McKinstry, United States engineer, in charge of the government harbor works, had been invited by the board to be present and afford such information as he could regarding the establishment of harbor lines, and by means of blue prints he explained the scope of the work being carried on. The Harbor Committee of the Chamber of Commerce was also present, and consisted of M. A. Newmark, Randolph Miner, Fred Eaton, J. O. Koepfli, E. W. Camp and F. Q. Story.

While dilating upon the dredging operations, Capt. McKinstry referred to the fact of the failure of passage of the River and Harbor Bill, and said that as a result the work progressing would be handicapped. Of the estimate originally made of $550,000, the sum of $300,000 has been available, and he urged that efforts should be made next year to see that the River and Harbor Bill goes through without mishap.

In answer to the direct question he said that the dredging operations will add about one thousand feet to the north end, on the east side of the harbor; about twenty-five hundred feet to the south end of the west side, and about fifteen hundred feet to the south end of the east side. The Secretary of War would have no objection, in his opinion, to the granting of the franchise referred to, but at the same time the only place the government stepped in was when harbor lines had been laid down, and that would be only one phase of the matter and did not cover the granting of a franchise for nothing for a term of years, or granting it at all. Of course, as to those matters Capt. McKinstry said that he could not speak.

It appeared, however, that the lines were described in 1891, when the probability of the harbor ever attaining importance was very remote. Then they were moved back in 1895 to meet certain exigencies that had arisen, and now, again, they have been moved back and are under consideration by the Secretary of War. The present lines run at an angle about one hundred feet at the extreme northern end of the front asked for by the Los Angeles Car Company. Capt. McKinstry said that he believed that within thirty days the lines established would be approved.

After this preliminary statement by the engineer in charge of the harbor works the fight for the franchise opened. Chairman Longdon thought that the matter might advantageously be continued until the new harbor lines had been approved, and Supervisor Alexander swept in behind him. Supervisors Wilson and Patterson were inclined the other way, though in the final outcome Patterson switched. Supervisor Graham thought that if the car company was bidding in good faith it will bid what the franchise is worth, and if not then it will not act with better faith thirty days hence. He moved the franchise be advertised.

J. C. Rives, ex-District Attorney of the county, who was present representing the applicant, stated that in their petition they had agreed to conform to the lines established, and that they were willing to take chances on the present lines being approved by the Secretary of War.

But right here a different cast was given to the argument when J. O. Koepfli of the Chamber of Commerce committee said that their Harbor Committee had canvassed the situation very thoroughly, and that it is a matter of little, if any, importance at the present time what a franchise may bring, but is of paramount importance that proper provision be made for increasing the facilities for doing business along the front of the harbor.

"The wharfage room left at your disposal," said Mr. Koepfli, "is so limited that it is imperative that this board go slow. If by any means it is possible some plan ought to be devised so that all franchises shall be let for frontage that will cause the erection and maintenance of slips. Indeed, it would be well, if possible, to withhold all franchises until such steps can be taken as will cause the next Legislature to establish a harbor board to deal with all matters pertaining to the harbor. Merely to illustrate my meaning: This applicant is asking for from 800 to 900 feet of frontage, and this space, if properly taken advantage of by the use of slips, might be enlarged to a vast amount, and in much less space would then suffice for the purpose of the applicant. But as matters stand, this board may carry that idea out and the next one take an altogether different course. The establishment by the Legislature of a permanent harbor board is the only way to have these matters properly and definitely attended to, and that means a delay of eight or nine months. It may not be feasible to curb and contract business for such a length of time, but we do feel that 800 feet of frontage out of the small amount left is not judicious or for the best interests of the community."

Attorney Rives answered this argument by saying that he did not believe himself that the slipping plan is practicable, though he said that he didn't speak as an expert, but only as a practical man well acquainted with the ground. He said that two transportation companies—for ought he knew it might now be only one—control the matter of transportation at San Pedro.

"Anyone," said Mr. Rives, "wanting a franchise must first make peace with the Terminal Land Company. If we were unable to get the land adjoining in the rear of the frontage it would mean a long and costly fight by condemnation. Now, we are asking you to sell this franchise and if anyone wants it worse than we do then they can have it. We own the land in the rear leased from the land company, and have made our peace with the Salt Lake Railroad Company.

E. W. Camp, also of the Harbor Committee, was the next one to speak for the new plan mooted, slipping the harbor front. He maintained that there ought not to be a foot of wharf frontage, and that the front could be quadrupled by building slips as is done in every other seaport in the country. And that, Mr. Camp maintained, is the only substantial advantage that the county can obtain. If an applicant is not willing to take 360 feet and dredge it out so that a slip can be erected and worked to advantage, he wanted to know what the county is getting of any permanent value. Though the board may not have the power to compel the building of slips they can do so indirectly by refusing to grant a franchise save for a limited frontage deemed sufficient for slip purposes.

Supervisor Alexander interposed here to move as an amendment to Graham's motion that the matter of the franchise be continued over until July 25. He set that date because the board will meet at a board of equalization from July 5 to 20. By such continuance the applicant will not be injured, and Mr. Alexander said that personally he was in favor of the franchise and was somewhat dubious about the slip proposition.

For a time there was no second. Alexander and Wilson had previously announced themselves, and now Patterson said that he was not ready to second the amendment, and if he did so he wanted it distinctly understood that he was in favor of the franchise. He confessed that he wanted more light on the matter of "slipping" the front.

Mr. Newmark thought Mr. Patterson had given an excellent reason why the matter should go over, and in the interim the members of the board could inform themselves. He strongly urged delay.

Chairman Longdon inquired of Capt. McKinstry if he could inform the board as to the possibility of putting slips at the particular point covered by the petition for a franchise. Capt. McKinstry said that he could not say with any definiteness upon that point, but if the matter should be postponed he would willingly have a survey made and give the result to the board.

Wilson harked back to the bidding proposition and said he was assured that people would come in and bid on this franchise. Alexander said he wouldn't give a snap of his fingers for all that anyone might bid. The chairman, too, agreed that it was no longer a matter of getting the highest or any price.

After some further discussion Supervisor Patterson seconded Alexander's amendment to Graham's motion, and being put to the vote it carried. The franchise matter then stood continued until July 25, by which time the harbor lines will have been approved and more light will have broken in upon the proposition of compelling the erection of slips along the harbor front instead of utilizing the front itself for wharfage.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

KERN RIVER RATE REDUCED.

RAILROADS LOWER OIL TARIFF FROM NORTH.

Sweeping Cut of Twenty-five Per Cent. Goes Into Effect Today—Los Angeles Producers Are Not Alarmed Over the Situation—Railroad Men Explain.

Beginning today the Santa Fé and Southern Pacific railroads will haul Kern River oil into Los Angeles at a greatly reduced rate. Heretofore the rate from Kern Junction to this city has been 50 4-10 cents per barrel, but the new tariff is 37 8-10 cents, being a reduction of 12 6-10 cents per barrel, or about 25 per cent.

While not unexpected by local producers, this rate has caused a sensation in oil circles, and the effect of the new tariff will be keenly noted by producers and consumers alike. With the lower freight rates, Kern River producers will be enabled to lay oil down in Los Angeles at a price that would appear ruinous to the local men, and a cut in the price of crude fuel oil has been generally anticipated, and discounted.

The local field producers nearly enough fuel oil to supply the demand in Los Angeles county, and contracts have ranged between 70 and 80 cents per barrel, according to the gravity. With the advent of the new freight rate, the Kern River operators, who have been selling oil at 18 cents to 25 cents per barrel in the field will doubtless be able to deliver their product in Los Angeles at a lower price than the average market quotations, but no alarm is felt over the situation, and no great reduction is anticipated.

RAILROAD MEN EXPLAIN RATE.

Considerable speculation has been indulged in as to the exact reasons for the cut in freight rates, and oil men generally have attributed the changed conditions to the efforts of the Associated Oil Company. This company controls enormous interests in the Kern River field, and, it is said, that contracts are in force between the company and several large consumers in Los Angeles, and that a fight for lower rates has been in progress for several months.

W. G. Barnwell, freight agent of the Santa Fé, explained the cut yesterday by saying: "The reduction has been made at the earnest solicitation of the Kern River producers, who have long clamored for a lower rate to Los Angeles. For over a year we have had a rate of 37 8-10 cents per barrel to San Francisco, and we thought it only just that an equal rate to this city should be made, especially as the haul this way is much shorter.

"No, the cut was not intended to injure the local industry in the least," continued Mr. Barnwell in reply to a question, "and I sincerely hope that it will not do so. I understand that there is an ample market here for all of the local product and some from the outside. I do not think that any great cut in the price of oil is contemplated by the Kern River people."

LOCAL MEN NOT UNEASY.

Many long-time contracts are now in force which practically take care of the product of the local field at prices that permit a profit, and local oil men are not disposed to worry over the situation.

Said a prominent dealer yesterday: "With the new freight rate in effect it will be impossible for the Kern River producer to sell oil in Los Angeles cheaper than 66½ cents per barrel and make anything like a profit. While increasing all the time the consumption here is not large enough to appear of great importance to the large operaters north of us, and I see no reason why any great reduction in price should be made. I think the sweeping cut in freight rates was not advisable at this time, but since it is a condition, we must meet it. I do not fear any serious consequences to the local industry."

Producers in the Whittier and Fullerton fields are not worrying over the new freight rate, for they say their output is all cared for at present.

AX SWINGS AT NORMAL.

Prof. W. S. Small the First to be Decapitated.

School Managers Getting in Their Work.

Uneasy Lie Other Heads on the Faculty.

Without a preliminary gleam, the keen, official ax chopped off the head of Prof. W. S. Small, supervisor of the Normal Training School at the meeting of the Normal Board yesterday morning.

Even some of the members of the board are mystified.

One of the members of the firing squad on the board assumed an air of injured innocence when asked for the reason yesterday.

"Why, Prof. Small was not discharged," he said piously. "He—er—he just failed to get elected again."

"Why did he fail?"

"Why—er—(inspiration) he failed to be elected because he did not get enough votes."

The worst is not yet heard from. Although Small was the only victim actually sacrificed, other heads do not set easily.

One of the members of the board stated yesterday that Prof. Millspaugh, the new principal, will be given full swing at the school, and if he does not like the faculty, all the members who have not his "King X" will be promptly discharged.

Prof. Millspaugh is now in the East selecting teachers to fill three or four vacancies in the staff of the school. Following the discharge of Prof. Small, a resolution was promptly passed, whereby the office shall remain vacant until a successor be named. Prof. Small's position is to become actually vacant July 1.

The choosing of teachers for the training school it was decided to leave to Superintendent Foshay of the Los Angeles City Schools and the president of the Normal School.

The list of teachers reappointed by the board yesterday is as follows: Prof. Melville Dozier, Sarah P. Monks, Harriet E. Dunn, Josephine E. Seaman, May A. English, Everett Shepardson, Ada M. Laughlin, James F. Chamberlain, Charles D. von Neumayer, Sarah J. Jacobs, Jennie Hagan and Agnes Elliott. Charles M. Miller, Ella M. Wood and Mrs. Hazzard.

IN THE EARTH.

RARE MINERALS, MINES AND METALLURGY.

POPULAR QUERIES AND EXPERT ANSWERS.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

[Answers to legitimate questions in mineralogy, metallurgy, chemistry or mining will be given here, but only when of interest to the mining or commercial world. Personal questions, on ores, minerals, earths or metals of non-commercial value, and assays for metal, will not be answered but should be referred direct to analysts and assayers. Address The Times.]

To Dissolve Gold.

OSCEOLA (Nev.) May 24, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Recently I purchased some nitro-muriatic acid from a druggist to try an experiment in dissolving gold. I placed a little gold in it, but it won't dissolve. I know there is an acid that will dissolve it. Will you kindly reply in your paper and give me information asked for.

Very respectfully yours, ALPHA.

ANSWER. Possibly the druggist gave you dilute nitro-muriatic acid used as a medicine. There is one single acid only that will dissolve gold, that is selenic acid, but it is too costly for the purpose. There are numerous compounds of chemicals that will put gold into solution. What you want is "Aqua Regia," (royal water, so called because it dissolves the noble metals) a mixture of two or three volumes of strong hydrochloric acid and one of nitric acid. When thus mixed a decomposition takes place, forming two products, one known as nitrosyl-chloride, the other as nitroxyl-chloride. Mix the two acids in a brown or black bottle. Do not cork the mixture for a time, in other words allow the decomposition and combination to go on until ebullition nearly ceases, then place a glass stopper in the bottle and keep it in a dark place.

Cement for Aquaria.

FLAGSTAFF (Ariz.) May 25, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Will you kindly give me list of chemicals which will make a good cement for aquaria and in the making of ornamental ink-stands with minerals, etc., and greatly oblige,

(Miss) A. T.

ANSWER. There is no better cement for the purpose mentioned than that of the Zoological Gardens, London, it follows, in homely phraseology. "Litharge, one gill, to which add the same measurement of plaster of Paris and fine dry white sand, to this mixture add one-third of a gill of powdered resin. Sift and keep the compound in a tightly-corked bottle until required, then form it into a putty by mixing in boiled linseed oil with a little patent dryer (Japan varnish) added. The putty thus made is unfit for use after ten hours, hence use it freshly made. This cement resists the action of salt water, and it is well to allow three or four hours for it to properly dry."

Mineral Chromite.

BAKERSFIELD (Cal.) May 27, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] With three friends I am out on a prospecting tour. We are seeking commercial minerals, and we will be glad if you will reply in The Times how we can tell the mineral "chromite?" We get our mail and papers but once a week.

Yours, truly, D.

ANSWER. Chromite, (chrome iron) is an oxide of chromium and iron, it is of iron-black color, when scratched with a file the streak powder is light brown to dark in color, has a hardness of 6, in tenacity it is brittle, its crystal is isometric, with octahedral habit. In structure it is massive, interspersed with a granular-compact fracture. Held at arm's length in a shaded corner it reminds one of glistening black resin, its crystals are rare and small in gravity, The mineral is over four times more dense than water, and its powder is usually slightly magnetic. Before the blow-pipe it is infusible. Chromium occurs in several other minerals, in leads chromate, (crocoisite,) to which it gives color. Ex. gr. the emerald. Chromates form yellow solutions, and dichromates reddish yellow. As a further blow-pipe test, chromite, when powdered and mixed with borax, shows a bead when hot of iron reaction, and chrome green in color when cold.

Ores of Radium.

LOS ANGELES, May 28, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Please name in your columns localities, from which I can purchase ores of "radium," naming such, and give a method whereby the radio-activity of such can be used in photography. You will greatly oblige me by replying.

Respectfully, C. R.

ANSWER. Uraninite (pitch-blende) from the Wood's mine, near Central City, Colo. Carnotite, from many sections in the sandstone measures of Grand and Emery counties, Utah. One of the best results so far observed in photography was that obtained by Mr. Maynard Bixby, who photographed as follows: "Taking about two ounces of the pulverized material (carnotite) mixed with the sand just as it came from the mine, I filled a circular tin box cover evenly full, and covering it with tissue paper pasted the paper about the edge of the cover for convenience in handling. A photographic glass plate was then taken in the darkroom and placed, sensitive side up, in a light-tight pasteboard box. On the sensitive side of the plate, various flat metal objects were placed with tissue between the pieces of metal and plate, and over the metal pieces, the tin box filled with powdered carnotite was then carefully placed with the paper cover facing the metal objects, and the whole covered and put in another covered box for about forty-five hous. The plate was then developed with the ordinary photographic developer."

IN AGONY.

Woman Thrown from Her Buggy in Crowded Street and Seriously Injured.

Mrs. M. M. Barnes, whose home is in Highland Park, was the victim of an accident near Fourth street and Broadway yesterday afternoon which, if it does not cause her death, may cripple her for life. She was seated in her buggy in front of the Broadway Department Store when a wagon of the Los Angeles Transfer Company approached. Just as the heavy wagon came abreast the lighter rig, the horses swerved, causing a collision which upset the buggy in which Mrs. Barnes was seated. She was thrown to the pavement with great violence and was unable to rise. When assistance reached her she could not be moved without causing great agony. She was taken to the Emergency and General Hospital where it was found that she had sustained a fracture of the pelvis. It will be necessary to encase her body in a plaster cast and she will be confined to her bed for months. Persons who witnessed the accident say that the driver of the baggage wagon was not at fault.

OLD BELL IS STILL SILENT.

No Solution of Pico Heights Tangle Forthcoming.

Methodists and Catholics in Fast Deadlock.

Bishop to Probably Appeal to the Courts.

Still stands in its frame of solid oak, in the pretty tower of the new Methodist Church on Twelfth and Fedora streets, the old Methodist-Catholic bell. The new church will be entirely finished by the end of this week, but no attempt has been made to ring the old bell, and no solution of the perplexing problem is as yet forthcoming.

Together with the completion of the new Methodist Church the old building, renovated and fitted with comfortable pews, stained glass windows and a costly altar service, will be ready for early mass next Sunday morning. The occupation by the Catholics of the old Methodist church and the consecration ceremonies attendant thereon are expected to draw a large crowd to the service.

Pico Heights is buzzing with speculation as to the final course to be pursued in regard to the bell. The older members of the Methodist church, who undoubtedly hold the balance of power in the organization, claim the bell as a gift entirely separated from the old church property. They say it was placed in the church three years after the old structure was completed. They hold tenaciously to the theory that possession is nine points of the law, and the bell has never gone out of their possession.

The Catholics on their part say the old church was purchased with the understanding that the bell was a part of the church property, hence the omission in the deed of any mention of the bell. To the devout Catholics the bell takes a sacred part in the church worship, and while there is great sympathy expressed for the sentiment of the Methodists, they are loath to accept the terms of the contract which gives them for their first service next Sunday an empty, meaningless belfry.

Both churches are praying that a modern Solomon will arise and with a sweep of legal foresight settle the claims and counter-claims that would puzzle a Philadelphia lawyer.

Yesterday it was given out on good authority that the bell had been removed from the ancient belfry without the consent of the pastor of the Methodist church, and that the advice of an outsider was taken when the Building Committee was in doubt as to its removal.

Undoubtedly those directly concerned with its removal are to blame to a large extent for the present trouble, as the majority of the church members, it is said, were in favor of leaving the old bell with the Catholics.

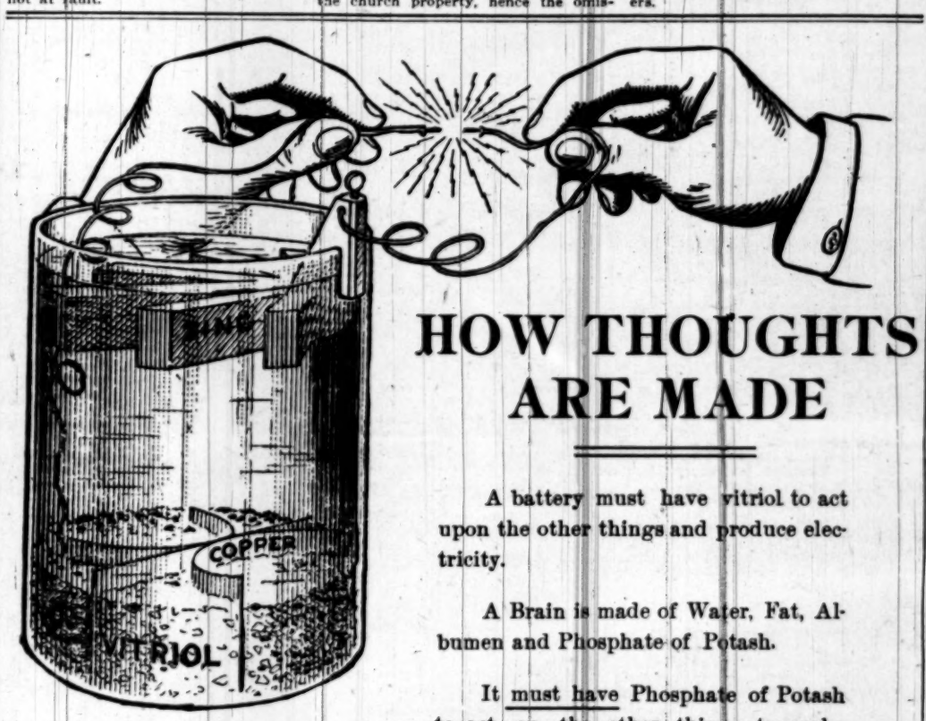
Bishop Conaty will return next Saturday morning, until then the bell is "in statu quo." It is expected that legal steps will be taken after the bishop's return.

Next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the first time Catholic services will be held in the church. The building is on Fedora street, a few doors north from Pico. The services will consist of vespers, sermon and benediction. The vespers will be sung in pure "Gregorian" by a choir of priests in accordance with the recent "Motu Proprio" of Pius X. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. C. Molony, pastor of St. Agnes.

The church is now in process of refitting, to make it a suitable place for the correct observance of the ritual of the Catholic Church. The tower in which hung the late bell, over the possession of which there is a decided discussion, will be surmounted by a cross. A temporary altar is being placed in the church and all the accessories of Catholic worship are being put in their respective places.

TROOPS NOW TRAILING ALI.

MANILA (P. I.) May 31.—Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood has returned from Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, where he has been organizing a punitive expedition dispatched in pursuit of Datto Ali and his band of Moros from the Rio Grande, who surprised and massacred fifty-three Filipinos—men, women and children—employés of the government at Camp Overton. United States troops are now trailing Ali, determined to either capture or destroy him and his followers.



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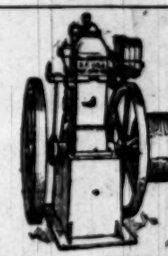

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Notice of Meeting of Stockholders.

Office of LOS ANGELES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, No. 605 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California, April 9th, 1904.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of LOS ANGELES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, a Corporation, adopted on the 9th day of April, 1904, at a meeting of said Board, duly held at the office of said Company, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 9th day of April, all the members of said Board being present, a meeting of the stockholders of said Corporation will be held at the office and principal place of business of said Corporation, to wit: in the building on the west side of Hill Street, between Sixth and Seventh Streets, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, known as No. 605 South Hill Street, said building being the building where the Board of Directors of said Corporation usually meet, and in the room in said building where the stockholders of said Corporation usually meet, on Wednesday, the 15th day of June, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the object and purpose of there and then considering and voting upon a proposal to create a bonded indebtedness of said Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, in the sum of Four Million Dollars, payable in United States gold coin, and to secure the bonded indebtedness so proposed to be created by a mortgage upon or deed of trust of all the property of said Corporation now owned or hereafter to be acquired by it, and during the life or term of said mortgage or deed of trust.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

LOS ANGELES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.

By R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. Geological Survey, Washington, D. C., May 28, 1904. Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at the office of the United States Reclamation Service, at Reno, Nevada, until 2 o'clock p.m., July 15, 1904, for the construction of about 37 miles of main distributing canals, involving about 1,300,000 cubic yards of earthwork, with diverting dam, regulating gates, spillways, falls, weirs, bridges, for the diversion and conveyance of about 1800 cubic feet of water per second from Carson River at a point about 8 miles west of Fairview, Nevada, to irrigable lands in Carson Sink Valley. Bids will be received on: (A) Excavation and embankment in one or more divisions or all the work. (B) Head works. (C) Falls, spillways, weirs, bridges, headgates, and pipe drains. (D) Highway bridges. Specifications, form of proposal, and particulars may be obtained after May 15, 1904, by application to L. H. Taylor, Reno, Nevada, and to the Chief Engineer of the Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C., from whose offices the plans may be inspected. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 5000, payable to the Secretary of the Interior, as a guaranty that the bidders will, if successful, promptly execute a satisfactory contract and furnish bond in the sum of 25 per cent. for the faithful performance of the work. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, to waive technical defects, or to accept one part of a bid and reject the other, as the interest of the service may require. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Distributing Canals, Truckee-Carson Project, Nevada." Bidders are invited to be present. THOS. RYAN, Acting Secretary.

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THIRTY-FOUR CARS OF ORANGES SOLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirty-four cars of oranges were sold today.

AGENCY SALES.

The Agency had twenty-five cars. Extra fancy Washington navels 3.75@1.80, average 2.95, 3 to 7 per cent. decay; fancy Washington navels 3.65@1.90, average 2.56, 3 to 7 per cent. decay; choice Washington navels, 3.40@1.45, average 2.57, 3 to 15 per cent. decay. The Agency sold 1349 boxes of extra fancy Washington navels, of which 562 were 80-126s; 11,123 boxes of fancy Washington navels, of which 815 boxes were 80-126s; 3648 boxes of choice Washington navels, of which 1502 boxes were 80-126s; one car Pointer brand choice Washington navels, all large sizes, which arrived in very bad order, is not included in the above general average. The highest average on one brand of extra fancy Washington navels, 3.42, was on one lot of 93 boxes, the highest on fancy, 3.46, was on one lot of 46 boxes; the highest on choice, 2.94, was on one lot of 215 boxes. Quail bloods averaged 2.77; Bear bloods, 2.96; Coyote bloods, 2.50; Uncle Sam bloods, 2.74; Fiesta, 2.54; Red Globe bloods, 2.49; Eagle bloods, 2.29, in bad order; Carnation bloods, 2.61; Stark bloods, 2.51; Tiger sweets, 2.56; Tiger seedlings, 2.49; Blue Globe valencias, 3.00; Gondolier seedlings, 2.67; Gondolier grapefruit, 1.99; Squirrel grapefruit, 2.38; Whittier valencias, 2.23, in bad order; Whittier St. Michaels, 2.32, in bad order; Blue Globe Homossassas, 2.68; Blue Globe tangerines, 2.62; Iris grapefruit, 2.43; Opride seedlings, 2.53; Eagle seedlings, 2.14; Carnation Jaffas, 2.40; Gypsy Queen tangerines, 3.12; Echo sweets, 2.51; Arroyo sweets, 2.23; Humming Bird seedlings, 2.48. Twenty-four cars were refrigerators; one a ventilator.

INDEPENDENT SALES.

The Independents had nine cars, divided as follows: Three hundred and sixty-two boxes of extra fancy Washington navels, average 3.40; 262 boxes extra fancy navels, 2.63; 272 boxes Golden Harvest, extra fancy Thompson's improved navels, 2.67; 62 boxes Mountain Chief fancy Thompson's improved navels, 2.10; 50 boxes Padre extra fancy grapefruit, 2.19; 149 boxes Fate's extra fancy Washington navels, 2.48; 85 boxes Fate's fancy Washington navels, 2.57; 51 boxes Fate's extra bloods, 2.33; 52 boxes Fate's extra Washington, 2.85; 201 boxes Heapgood fancy seedlings, 1.51; 53 boxes California seedlings, 1.36; 106 boxes Independent extra fancy sweets, 2.99; 278 boxes Independent fancy sweets, 2.66; 384 boxes Florencia choice Washington navels, 1.87; 101 boxes Old Mission fancy Washington navels, 2.83; 64 boxes Golden Eagle extra choice Washington navels, 2.56; 49 boxes Old Mission extra fancy St. Michaels, 2.97; 25 boxes Old Mission extra fancy grapefruit, 2.22; 60 boxes Old Mission extra fancy sweets, .68; 67 boxes Golden Eagle extra choice sweets, 2.59; 77 boxes Ocean extra fancy sweets, 2.80; 202 boxes Fountain fancy sweets, 2.64; 104 boxes Santa Fé choice sweets, 2.31. Eight cars were refrigerators, and one a ventilator. The market was strong on strictly fancy sound fruit, but low grades were weak and lower in some instances. Sales from store were fairly active, and prices were firm on good fruit.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, June 1, 1904.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,102,256.78, against $1,178,726.33 for the corresponding day last year. For the corresponding day in 1902 they were $994,882.86.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE. The Los Angeles Stock Exchange issued the following daily bulletin:

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .19	$ .20¼
Central	.83	.90
Columbia	.20	
Continental	.17	
Fullerton Oil	.24	.30
Globe	.05	
Home (Whittier)	125.00	
Hercules Oil Ref. Co.		.15
Mexican Petroleum	.22	.25
Olinda Land Co.	.08	.12
Piru Oil & L. Co.		.12
Potomac (Pre.)		.04
Reed Crude	1.46	1.50
Senator	.60	
Turner	1.15	
Union	85.50	90.00
Union Con. Oil		.09
Union Con. Ref. Co.		.09¼
United Petroleum	87.00	94.00
Westlake	.02½	
Whittier Con. Oil	.01	.02
Western Union		70.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American G. & C.	$ .09	
Bisbee Belle Copper	.02½	.02¾
Bisbee West Copper	.09	.10
Black Hills Copper		.07
Butte Lode	19.00	21.75
Butte M. & M. Co.		.73
Chloride G. M. Co.		.40
Exposed Treasure	.20	.30
Golden Argus		27.00
Green Consolidated	14.50	17.00
Jessie Belle	.04½	.05½
Ludlow Bell	.19	.22
Mitchell Mining	6.75	10.50
Nevada Chief	.07	.13
New Era	.04½	.05
Nevada-Keystone		.71
Peninsula M. & S. Co.		.08¼
Quartette	10.00	14.75
Santa Ana Tin M. Co.		.20
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	.28	
Tonopah-California	.09	
Verde King	.10	.16
Wallapai	.01	

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$107.50	$110.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	140.00	150.00
Central	160.00	200.00
Citizens' National	161.50	....
*Columbia Savings Bank	106.00	....
Commercial National	100.00	102.00
Dollar Savings Bank	110.00	....
Equitable Savings Bank	130.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	212.50	221.00
**First National	300.00	....
German-American	325.00	....
*Home Savings B. of L. A.	55.00	....
Los Angeles National	193.00	200.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	98.50	100.00
Merchants' National	255.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	135.00	....
Security Savings Bank	205.00	....
So. Cal. Savings	235.00	....
Southwestern National	106.00	112.50
State Bank & Trust	101.00	104.00
Union Bank of Savings	315.00	....
First National, Pasadena	210.00	....
San Gabriel Val., Pasadena	200.00	....
Pasadena National	200.00	....

*50 per cent. paid up.
**Extra dividend $2 paid December, 1902, and December, 1903.

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	$ .77½	$ .79
Bakersfield & K. E. Ry.	....	102.00
California Development	....	100.00
California Pacific Ry.	....	100.00
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
Cal. Port. Cement Co. com.	....	98.00
Corona City Water Co.	....	102.00
Corona Power & W. Co.	....	96.00
Edison Elec. Co. Con.	....	99.00
Ed. Elec. Co. (old issue)	95.00	100.00
Home Telephone Co.	83.75	85.50
L. A. Uac. 1st Con. Mtgs.	98.00	102.00
L. A. Traction Co.	110.00	116.00
L. A. Traction Co.	104.00	107.00
L. A. & Redondo Ry. Co.	....	102.00
Mission Trans. & F. Co.	....	100.00
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	100.00
Pac. Light & Power Co.	....	92.00
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	90.00	99.00
Pomona & O. L. & F. Co.	105.00	106.00
Pomona Con. W. Co.	....	100.00
San Antonio Water Co.	....	100.00
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	103.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	102.00
Temescal Water Co.	....	95.00
United Elec. G. & P. Co.	....	100.00
Union Trans. Co.	....	100.00
Visalia Water Co.	....	100.00

*Prices include accrued interest.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$ 62.00	$ 53.00
Edison Electric pfd	70.00	65.00
Edison Electric com	44.75	25.00
Home Telephone	44.50	45.50
Home Trust	102.00	....
Los Angeles Brewery	95.00	100.00
L. A. Jockey Club	60.00	100.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	100.00
Sun Drug Co.	....	100.00
California Hospital	100.50	....
Emergency Hospital	....	45.00
Pacific Wireless Tel. Co.	....	3.00
Title G. & Trust pfd	109.50	....
Conservative Life Ins. Co.	165.00	....
Seaside Water Co.	40.00	....

GOLD EXPORTS. We recently pointed out that the reason why the heavy gold exports this spring had caused no uneasiness was because of the enormous supply of gold in the United States. Another reason is the fact that the gold exports this year have been very largely offset by our gold imports. For the first four months of the year the imports amounted to $32,400,000 or $8,500,000 more than the exports during the same period. The gold exports this month have been extremely heavy, but up to the present time we have shipped only about $17,-000,000 more gold than we have imported since the first of the year. The gold export movement is now rapidly approaching an end. The net gold loss since the opening of the year is likely to be about $20,000,000. Considerably more than this loss is expected within the next few months from the Klondike and Alaska. The domestic production of gold in the United States is now averaging about $6,600,000 a month.—[New York Commercial.

COMMERCIAL.

DRIED FRUITS. A local jobber gives it as his opinion that all dried peaches are gone, and predicts increased prices on this fruit.

In other fruits the market is altogether dull and listless.

Advance opinion on the new crop differ greatly, of course. The peach crop promises to be small, so nearly all of the authorities say. Raisins promise a full crop.

CITRUS MOVEMENTS.

	Oranges.	Lemons.	Total.
Friday	90	12	22,625
Saturday	106	29	22,715
Sunday and Monday	90	9	22,835

CANNED FRUITS. The independent canners are going to ask about 15 per cent. higher prices for canned fruits this season than their opening of last, doubtless owing to the fact that the association is protected by a five-year contract, which will cause the independents to buy at very much elevated prices owing to short crops. The lemon cling crop promises to be short 15 to 20 per cent., and the best grades lost entirely.

Plums promise to be abundant.

THE NUT OUTLOOK. Some authorities consider that the almond crop will be 50 per cent. of last year's, say 100 cars against 200. Tarragonas, which substitute our I.X.L., though harder in the shell, are still purchasable at about 11 cents laid down in Chicago.

Walnuts look very much better than last year; there is much less blight, and only a little black spot in some places. The yield of the State is estimated to reach 850 cars.—[Grocer and Country Merchant.

PROVISIONS. Market very quiet and practically unchanged, both here and in the East.

Western packing for week ending May 19 was 410,000 hogs, compared with 435,-000 the preceding week, 485,000 two weeks previous and 480,000 a year ago. The average price per 100 pounds at leading markets was $4.75, compared with $4.70 the preceding week, $4.70 two weeks previous and $6.30 for corresponding period last year.

Eastern lard has again settled to its old price, for Los Angeles.

BEAN MARKET. Beans are not changed, although Limas are much firmer, owing, it is supposed, to light stocks. San Francisco houses advise light stocks of Washington Limas and pinks.

Schultz-Hansen Co. of San Francisco say that in the northern counties much of the bean land is under water (due to recent floods) and a large amount of the bean land has been seeded to potatoes. The high prices of potatoes has been the incentive to sow potatoes rather than beans.

Comparing prices and stocks of March, 1903, with the present prevailing conditions, there is a remarkable difference. The stocks now on hand are 100,000 sacks less than they were about a year ago, while prices now are 10 to 25 per cent. less than in May 1903. During the months of January, February and March of 1904 the shipments of Limas amounted to 175,000 sacks, while during the same time in 1903, only 20,000 sacks were shipped. At this ratio of shipment, the Lima bean trade of the crop of 1904 will open on a comparatively barren market. In May, 1903, the market was $4; market now is $3.10 to $3.25.

The above represent shippers prices to jobbers.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The holiday having cleaned out the poultry market, great depression was noticed in this branch yesterday. Stocks are light and demand indifferent.

Fish are about the same as last reported. Large consignments of big fish come in daily, but small fish are more in demand.

The bulk of the potatoes now being offered on the market are of poor quality, though there are still some fancy stock selling, and quite freely, at the quotations. Onions are dull and featureless, with unchanged prices. It is said the new arrivals from up country are getting more firm and better in keeping quality.

Butter about as firm as a chunk of ice for the present. Northern grades are marked up a cent, but local people are not affected.

The hay crop is going to be shorter than last season, no doubt, but there is a great deal of hay curing in the country, and reports may change within a week or so. Local hay is running easily at quotations.

Small vegetables coming in freely with no change worth mentioning.

Strawberries are getting beautifully less, and are higher in comparison.

About 1500 boxes of cherries came in yesterday, and went off indifferently.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, ranch, 20@21 doz.; case count, 17@18; northern, 15 doz.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 12; Cal. Y. A., 13; Cal. hand, 3s, 14; northern, 11@12; cheddars, eastern, 15; Dom. Swiss, 21; Imp. Swiss, 26½.

BUTTER—Board of Trade creamery, 2-lb. squares, 45; valley creamery, 45; Coast creamery, 45; choice Coast creamery, 42½; fancy dairy, 47; choice dairy, 42½.

BEANS—Pinks, 3.80@4.00; Lady Washington, 3.25@3.50; small white, 3.50@3.75; black eyes, 3.50@3.75; Limas, 3.75@4.00; Garbanzos, 4.00@4.50; lentils, 6.00@6.50 cwt.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 7@7½; apricots, 10@11; choice peaches, 8¼; fancy peaches, 8@10; fancy evaporated crop Persian dates, 6½; Fards, 8½; figs, California white, box, 75@85; California black, lb., 6½; imported Smyrna, 14.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 1.75@2.25; London Layers, 1.75@1.90; loose, 6½@7; seed Sultanas, 5½@6.

NUTS—Almonds, paper shells, 13; soft, 12½; hard, 10@11; Brazils, 13½; filberts, 12½; peanuts, eastern raw, 7@8; roasted, 9@10; choice raw, 6½@7½; California fancy raw, 5½@6; California roasted, 8½; walnuts, softshell, No. 1, 13½@14; hardshells, 11.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, per lb., 7@7½; veal, per lb., 8; mutton, per lb., 8@8½; lamb, lb., 10; pork, per lb., 8@8½.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS—Flour, per bbl., local mills, 4.30@5.00; northern, 5.00; Pillsbury, 6.65; eastern low grades, 4.80@5.00; graham, 2.10@2.50; corn meal, basal, 10s, 2.20; rolled barley 1.25; cracked corn, 1.55; bran, 1.25; feed meal, 1.60.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES—Lemons, per box; choice to fancy, 1.00@1.50; oranges, navels, choice to fancy, 1.00@1.50; grape fruit, per box, 1.50@2.00; limes, per box, 90; bananas, per lb., 5; strawberries, per box, fancy, 6@8; apples, fancy, 4-tier, 2.00; 4½-tier, 1.40@1.50; rhubarb, fancy, 85 box; loquats, 85 box; apricots, 1.50@1.75; red cherries, 35@40 box; black cherries, 7½, bulk; black cherries, 65@70 box; raspberries, 14@15; pineapples, 3.00@3.25 doz.; blackberries, 6; gooseberries, 20@1.00 box; watermelons, 2.00 doz.; loganberries, 10 box; black figs, 1.25 box; currants, 1.00 box.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Beeswax, per lb., 28@30; honey, comb, frames, 13; ex. water white, 6; ex. white, 5½.

HAY AND GRAIN—Barley, per cwt., 1.25; oats, 1.40; corn, 1.50; wheat, 1.65; barley hay, choice to fancy, 12.00@13.00 per ton; oat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; wheat, 12.00@17.00 per ton; new crop, local, 11.00@12.50 per ton.

POTATOES—Salinas, 2.25; Highland, fancy, 2.00; Oregon, fancy, 2.10; Nevada Burbanks, 1.90; Early Rose, 2.00 cwt.

ONIONS—Silverskin, fancy, 2.25@2.50 per cwt.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, cwt., 50; cabbage, 35 cwt.; carrots, 20c dozen; green chilies, per lb., 7@12; dry chiles, per string, 40@53; lettuce, 15c doz.; parsnips, 1.00 cwt.; peas, 2½@3; radishes, 8@10; garlic, 13 lb.; watercress, 3; spinach, 20; tomatoes, 2.00@2.50 crate; string beans, per lb., 4; turnips, 1.10; asparagus, 3@5; new potatoes, 1½; egg plant, 20c lb.; new onions, 20@30 doz; squash, 60 box; cauliflower, 65@70 doz.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition, as follows: Hens, per lb., 14@15; ducks, 14@15; turkeys, 16@18; geese, 10@12; broilers, 22@24; fryers, 22. Selling price per lb., dressed, old roosters, 12; old hens, 18@20; young roosters, 25@30; broilers, per doz., 3.50@6.00; fryers, 25@30 lb.; live turkeys, 25; ducks, 18@20 lb.; geese, 18 lb.

PROVISIONS—Lard, pure, per lm., tierce basis, Silver Leaf, 9¼; Rex, 9¼; White Label, 9¼; Orange Blossom, 9; Compound lard, per lb., tierce basis, 7.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; Winchester, 14½; Premium, 14¾; Gold Band, 14¾.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., bellies, 12; short clears, 11½; clear backs, 11½.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 16@17½.

PICKLED PORK—26.00 bbl.

BREAKFAST BACON—Rex, 15; Winchester, 15½; Empire, 16½; Premium, 19; Diamond "C," 18; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 19.

SUGAR—(Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. 10c, ¼ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c, 50-lb. sacks 10c per cwt. higher.) Beet, 5.45; cane, 5.95; Ext. C, 5.45; Golden C, 5.35; "D," 5.25; Magnolia "A," 5.55; tablets, ½ bbl., 6.45; tablets, 5.95; cube, 6.15; powdered, 6.65; conf. A, 5.95; boxes, 6.70.

NEW YORK MARKETS.
SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 31.—Three days of leisure for the contemplation of stock market prospects did not result in any accession of speculative confidence, so far as revealed by meager dealings, and the halting and narrow fluctuations today. The market showed no essential change from its recent lethargy. The firm tone of the London market and the Saturday bank statement, which was called favorable by traders, were worth a fractional rise this morning, which amounted to an average of about ⅜. Prices then slipped back to below last Friday's level. The nominal cause was the suspension of a firm on the Cotton Exchange, but although the failure was announced as due to a defalcation, with no bearing on the market or financial conditions, the market failed to recover its lost ground. News of the day was not important, but it offered more favorable features than for some time past. The market ignored these. The percentage of the decrease from last year's traffic has shown a declining tendency for several weeks past, and for the third week of May the decrease has fallen to but little more than 1 per cent. Net earnings do not yet show a turn in the situation, retrenchments in operating expenses not yet being effective in the reports for that period. The Erie statement was the important item today, with its decline in net compared with last year of $230,375, or nearly 20 per cent. The stocks of the company suffered from this showing, especially the first preferred, from fears that the integrity of its dividend was threatened. The money market was easy in all departments here as a result of the bank statement, and the subtreasury paid out $2,700,000 on account of Japanese gold deposited in San Francisco. In the stock market, there was a light covering movement by shorts late in the day, but the close was easy. A number of inactive bonds made wide declines from long preceding sales, and the general tone was heavy. Total sales, $1,340,000. United States 2s registered declined ½, and the 3s coupon advanced ¼ per cent. on the last call.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Wheat, spot market easy; options closed ⅛ to ⅜c net lower; May, 91⅛@98; July, 90⅞@91 9-16c; closed at 90⅝c; September, 84@84⅝c; closed at 84c; December closed at 83⅝. Hops quiet. State, common to choice, 1903 crop, 26@35c; 1902, 20@26c; olds, 9@14c; Pacific Coast hops, 1903 crop, 24@30c; 1903, 23@24c; olds, 9@14c. Hides steady. Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 18c; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 pounds, 14c. Wool quiet; domestic fleece, 28@32c. Petroleum steady. Coffee, spot Rio steady; No. 7, invoice, 6⅝; mild steady, Cordova, 12½@13c. Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 7-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-16; molasses sugar, 3 3-16; refined firm; No. 6, 4.55; No. 7, 4.50; No. 8, 4.45; No. 9, 4.40; No. 10, 4.35; No. 11, 4.30; No. 12, 4.25; No. 13, 4.20; No. 14, 4.15; mould A, 5.20; cut loaf, 5.65; crushed, 4.90; powdered, 5.00; granulated, 4.95; cubes, 5.20.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel	9
Call loans	2@3½	U. S. Steel pfd	57¼
Time loans	4@5	West'house Com.	73
Bonds—		Mining—	
Atchison, Adj. 4s.	90½	Adventure	1¼
Atchison 4s	100⅜	Allouez	5¼
Railroads—		Amalgamated	49⅝
Atchison	68⅜	American Zinc	9
Atchison pfd	91⅞	Atlantic	7½
Boston & Albany	243	Bingham	20⅛
Boston & Maine	163½	C. & Hecla	444@452
Boston Elevated	140½	Centennial	19
Fitchburg pfd	13⅞	Copper Range	41⅝
Mexican Central	6⅞	Daly West	24
N. Y. N. H. & H.	185½	Dominion Coal	65
Pere Marquette	77	Franklin	7
Union Pacific	82⅝	Granby	3⅝
Miscellaneous—		Isle Royale	6¼
Am. Arge. Chem.	14	Mass. Mining	3½
A. A. Chem. pfd.	72	Michigan	4
Am. Pneu. Tube.	4½	Mohawk	33
Am. Sugar	123¾	Mont. Coal & C.	2½
Am. Sugar pfd	125½	Old Dominion	12½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	125	Osceola	56¼
Am. Woolen	10⅛	Parrot	23½
Am. Woolen pfd	74	Quincy	85
Dom. I. & S.	9	Shannon	6¼
Edison Elec. Illu.	234	Tamarack	75
Gen. Electric	154	Trinity	3⅞
Mass. Electric	18	U. S. Mining	19⅞
Mass. Elec. pfd.	72	U. S. Oil	9¼
Mass. Gas	40	Utah	33⅞
United Fruit	104½	Victoria	2¼
U. Shoe Mach.	48	Winona	5⅜
U. Shoe M. pfd.	24	Wolverine	70

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	104½	Man. Con. G. 4s	103¼
U. S. R. 2s coup.	105	Mex. Cen. 4s	61¾
U. S. 3s reg.	105¾	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	12
U. S. 3s coup.	105¾	M. & St. L. 4s	96¼
U. S. n. 4s reg.	132	M. K. & T. 4s	100¼
U. S. n. 4s coup.	132	M. K. & T. 2nds.	81¼
U. S. old 4s reg.	105⅝	Mex. Nat'l Ry. 4s	74
U. S. old 4s coup.	105⅞	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	96¼
Atchison, Gen. 4s.	101¼	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	129
Atchison, Adj. 4s.	91	N. P. 4s	104⅞
Atlantic C. L. 4s.	95	N. P. 3s	71
B. & O. 4s	101½	N. & W. Con. 4s	98⅞
B. & O. 3½s	95	Oregon S. L. 4s	92
Cen. of Ga. 5s	107	Pa. Conv. 3½s	94½
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	74	Reading Gen. 4s	96¼
C. & O. 4½s	104¼	St. L. & I. M. 5s	111⅝
C. & A. 3½s	79	St. L. & S. F. 4s	81⅝
C. B. & Q. n. 4s	94⅝	St. L. S. W. 1sts	95
C. M. & St. P. 4s	109	Seaboard A. L. 4s	70
C. & N. W. 7s	127⅞	So. Pacific 4s	92
C. R. I. & P. 4s	78⅞	So. Railway 5s	113⅝
C. R. I. & P. 5s	79½	T. & P. 1sts	117
C. C. C. & St. L.	101	T. St. L. & W.	70½
Chicago Ter. 4s	73½	Union Pacific 4s	101⅞
Con. Tob. 4s	56⅞	U. P. Conv. 4s	94⅞
Colo. & So. 4s	84	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	73⅞
D. & R. G. 4s	98½	Wabash 1sts	113⅞
Erie prior lien 4s.	98⅛	Wabash Deb. B.	56
Erie Gen. 4s	85	W. & L. E. 4s	89⅝
Fort Worth 1sts	106	Wis. Cen. 4s	90
Hock. Val. 4½s	107	C. F. & I. Con.	68¼
L. & N. Un. 4s	100⅜		

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Close—Money on call was easy at 1@1¼ per cent.; lowest 1 per cent.; closing bid, 1 per cent.; offered, 1¼ per cent. Time loans easy, 2@2½ per cent. for 60 and 90 days, and at 3@3½ per cent. for six months. Prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87⅛ for demand and at 4.85 7-20@4.85 9-20 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, 4.86 and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.85¼@4.85¾. Bar silver, 55c; Mexican dollars, 44⅝c. Government bonds irregular; railroad bonds heavy.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Today's statement of the Treasury balance in the General Fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the Division of Redemption, shows: Available cash balances, $163,198,759; gold, $68,307,-396.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Spot cotton closed quiet, 45 points lower; middling uplands, 12.75; middling Gulf, 13.00. Sales, 2480 bales.

London Silver.

LONDON, May 31.—Consols, 89⅞; silver, 25⅝d.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Atchison	4,900	69⅜	68⅝	68⅝
Atchison pfd	100	92	92	92
Baltimore & Ohio	2,100	78⅛	77½	77⅝
B. & O. pfd	....	....	....	90⅝
Canadian Pacific	400	117⅛	117	117⅝
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	156
Chesapeake & Ohio	300	30	29½	29⅝
Chicago & Alton	1,800	36½	35⅝	35⅛
Chicago & Alton pfd	....	....	....	80⅛
Chicago & G. W	200	14⅝	14½	14⅝
Chicago & N. W	....	....	....	163
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	3,600	140	139⅝	139⅝
C., M. & St. P. pfd	....	....	....	173½
Chicago Ter. & Trans	....	....	....	5⅜
Chicago T. & T. pfd	200	13⅝	13½	13⅛
C., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	69
Colorado Southern	....	....	....	14⅝
Colo. So. 1st pfd	400	50	50	50
Colo. So. 2nd pfd	600	19⅝	19	19
Delaware & Hudson	200	153⅛	153⅝	153
Del., Lack & Western	....	....	....	266
Denver & Rio Grande	200	19⅛	19½	19⅝
D. & R. G. pfd	....	....	....	66
Erie	9,900	23⅝	22⅝	22⅝
Erie 1st pfd	7,100	57½	55⅝	56
Erie 2nd pfd	8,600	34	33	32½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	61
Hocking Valley pfd	....	....	....	78½
Illinois Central	400	129⅝	129½	129¼
Iowa Central	....	....	....	18½
Iowa Central pfd	....	....	....	33
Kansas City Southern	200	19⅛	19	19¼
K. C. Southern pfd	200	38	37½	37
Louisville & Nashville	600	107⅝	107⅝	107⅛
Manhattan L	....	....	....	143⅜
Metropolitan Securities	200	78	77⅝	77
Metropolitan St. Ry	1,000	110	109½	109½
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	40
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M	....	....	....	61⅛
Minn., St. Paul pfd	....	....	....	118
Missouri Pacific	1,500	90	89⅛	89⅛
Missouri, Kan. & Tex	200	15½	14½	15⅛
M., K. & T. pfd	200	33½	33¼	33⅛
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	....	....	....	35½
New York Central	200	114⅝	114⅛	114½
Norfolk & Western	400	55⅝	55⅝	55⅛
N. & W. pfd	....	....	....	90
Ontario & Western	1,600	22	21⅝	21⅝
Pennsylvania	4,700	113⅝	112⅞	113⅝
P. C. C. & St. Louis	100	56	56	55
Reading	4,900	43⅜	42⅛	41⅝
Reading 1st pfd	....	....	....	78
Reading 2nd pfd	....	....	....	62
Rock Island Co	200	21⅛	20¾	21⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd	800	64½	63⅝	63⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	400	44⅝	44½	44
St. Louis, S. W	900	11½	11	10
St. L., S. W. pfd	700	28	26½	27
Southern Pacific	2,800	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝
Southern Railway	100	20	20	20
So. Railway pfd	....	....	....	83
Texas & Pacific	700	21	20⅛	20¼
Toledo, St. L. & W	500	21½	21½	21
T., St. L. & W. pfd	....	....	....	37
Union Pacific	6,600	83⅛	82⅞	82⅝
Union Pacific pfd	400	91½	91⅛	91
Wabash	200	15⅝	15½	15⅛
Wabash pfd	700	33½	33⅛	33¼
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	15
Wisconsin Central	300	16⅝	16⅛	16⅛
Wisconsin Central pfd	400	38½	38	37½
Mexican Central	1,100	7½	7⅛	7⅛
Express Companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	225
American	....	....	....	175
United States	....	....	....	100
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	209
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	13,700	51	49⅝	49⅝
Am. Car & Foundry	300	16⅝	16½	16½
Am. C. & F. pfd	....	....	....	69½
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	27
American Ice	....	....	....	6⅛
American Ice pfd	....	....	....	26½
American Linseed Oil	700	7⅛	7⅛	7
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	....	....	....	25
American Locomotive	....	....	....	19
Am. Locomotive pfd	....	....	....	80
Am. Smelting & Ref	8,200	52½	52⅛	52½
Am. S. & R. pfd	3,000	97⅛	96⅞	96⅞
Am. Sugar Refining	700	126	125⅝	125½
Anaconda Mining Co	....	....	....	72
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	6,900	47⅝	46⅞	46⅞
Colorado Fuel & Iron	....	....	....	28⅝
Consolidated Gas	1,000	205⅝	204	204
Corn Products	1,100	10½	10½	10¼
Corn Products pfd	....	....	....	66½
Distillers' Securities	....	....	....	20½
General Electric	1,300	156	155⅞	155½
International Paper	....	....	....	10
Int'l Paper pfd	....	....	....	65⅝
International Pump	....	....	....	36
Int'l Pump pfd	....	....	....	70
National Lead	1,300	19⅛	19	19⅛
North American	200	81	81	81
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	25
People's Gas	300	95¼	95	95⅛
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	24½
Pressed Steel Car pfd	....	....	....	67
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	210
Republic Steel	1,100	6½	6⅛	6⅛
Republic Steel pfd	1,400	38	37⅝	38
Rubber Goods	....	....	....	14½
Rubber Goods pfd	100	77½	77½	77⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	400	34½	33½	33¼
United States Leather	200	6⅝	6½	6⅛
U. S. Leather pfd	....	....	....	79½
United States Realty	1,900	6⅝	6⅛	6⅝
U. S. Realty pfd	2,700	61	60⅛	60⅛
United States Rubber	100	16	16	15⅞
*U. S. Rubber pfd	100	66⅝	66⅝	65
United States Steel	2,000	9⅛	9	9
U. S. Steel pfd	400	54⅛	53⅝	53⅛
Westinghouse Electric	300	155½	155	154½
Western Union	100	86½	86	85⅝

Total sales for day....128,700

*Ex-dividend.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.
GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, May 31.—The break in May wheat did not come until near the close of the day's trading. The market opened weak as a result of lower prices at Liverpool. July started ⅛ to ⅜ down, at 85¼@85⅝. Sentiment soon changed, however. Figures connected with the weekly statistics of the international trade were less bearish than they have been for some weeks past, and excessive rains had fallen in many sections of the Southwest. The bullish reports from the Southwest were partially substantiated by liberal purchases by St. Louis houses and, by the strength in that market. The corn market here also showed decided strength. In consequence, an improved demand developed in the wheat pit. The weakness with which trading began was not only arrested, but was in a short time replaced by a fair degree of strength. On a good commission-house demand, July gradually advanced to 86¼. During the last half hour, the feature of trading was the wide fluctuations of May, in which month, however, trading was very light. After selling off to 85¼, July closed at 85⅝c. An active demand from shorts, with comparatively light receipts, caused an extremely strong corn market, the closing being also strong. July opened ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher, and sold up to 48@48⅛c, and closed at 47⅝c. Oats were quiet, and influenced mainly by the action of other grains. July closed at 38⅝@38⅞c. Provisions were strong on active commission-house demands. After ranging between 11.77½ and 11.75, July pork closed at a gain of 45@47½c; lard was up 12½c, and ribs were 17½ better.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
May	97
July (old)	85⅝
July (new)	85⅝
September (old)	80⅝
September (new)	80½
Corn, No. 2—	
May	47
July	47⅝
September	47⅝
Oats, No. 2—	
May	40⅛
July	38⅞@39⅛
September	30⅝

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was quiet and steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 92@97; No. 3, 85@96; No. 2 red, 1.05@1.06; No. 2 corn, 49@49½; No. 2 yellow, 49@49½; No. 2 oats, 40½@40¾; No. 2 white, 41@43; No. 2 rye, 74@76; good feeding barley, 38@41; fair to choice malting, 45@56; No. 1 flax seed, 1.09; No. 1 northwestern, 1.09; prime timothy seed, 3.00; mess pork, per bbl., 11.60@11.65; lard, per 100 lbs., 6.50@6.52½; short ribs, sides (loose), 6.50@6.75; short clear sides (boxed), 6.50@6.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.28; clover, contract grade, 10.75.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	16,100	31,700
Wheat, bushels	49,000	40,200
Corn, "	534,000	269,600
Oats, "	211,000	67,900
Rye, "	6,000	1,500
Barley, "	44,700	5,500

Dairy Markets.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 13½@17½; dairy, 12@16; eggs, steady, 15@15½; cheese, easy, 7½@9.

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by the Weather Bureau today says that with the exception of the Northern Rocky Mountain region and Upper Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys, where the early part of the week was too cool, the temperature of the week ending May 30 was favorable in all districts, especially to the eastward of the Mississippi River. Light frosts occurred in Wisconsin, and heavy damaging frosts in Montana, Idaho, and the eastern portions of Oregon and Washington. Continued northerly winds caused considerable damage to fruit, and possibly injured grain in California. Rain is generally needed on the North Pacific Coast. On the North Pacific Coast winter wheat has done well, except in portions of Eastern Washington, where it has been injured somewhat by frosts. In California, the crop is maturing rapidly, but has probably sustained injury by drying winds. On the North Pacific Coast, early spring wheat is doing well, but rain is needed for the late sown.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON (Mass.) May 31.—The wool market continues quiet, so far as the local field is concerned. Some traders estimate that if dealers are to make a profit, prices will have to be advanced 10 to 15 per cent. above the present basis when the new clip reaches the market. This estimate is based upon the high prices ni the West. The market for fleece wools is dull.

The Territory quotations follow: Idaho, fine, 14½@15; heavy fine, 13@13½; fine medium, 15@16; medium, 16@17; low medium, 17@18; Wyoming fine, 14@15; heavy fine, 13½; fine medium, 15@16; medium, 18@19; low medium, 19@20. Utah and Nevada, heavy fine, 13@13½; fine medium, 15½@16; medium, 18@19; low medium, 19@20. Montana, fine choice, 18@19; fine average, 17@18; fine medium choice, 18@19; average, 16@17; staple, 18@19; medium, choice, 18@19.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The market for evaporated apples is quiet, but desirable grades are steadily held; common are quoted at 4@5¼; prime, 5¾@5¾; choice, 6¼@6¾; fancy, 7@7½. Prunes continue easy, as far as California grades are concerned, though there has been no quotable change in prices, which range from 2¾@5¾c for all grades. Apricots meet with a small demand, but holders are not pressing supplies on the market, and prices are maintained. Choice are quoted at 9½@10c; extra choice, 10¼@10¾, and fancy at 11@13. Peaches are in a fair jobbing demand, and the market shows a hardening tendency. Choice are quoted at 7@7½c; fancy at 9½@10c.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Tin underwent a very sharp decline in London over the local holiday, and today's cable reported a decline since the closing of the market, last Friday, of £2 10s to £122 for spot, and to £121 12s 3d for futures. Locally the market responded to the lower cables, and was weak and lower, closing at 27.00@27.37½. Copper was also weak in London, declining 11s 3d for spot and 12s 6d for futures, with both positions closing at £56 7s 6d. Locally, copper was unchanged; lake, 13.00@13.12½; electrolytic, 12.75@13.00; casting, 12.50@12.75. Lead declined 1s 3d in London, closing at £11 6s 3d, and was quiet locally, with prices a shade lower. Spelter advanced 5s in London, closing at £22 7s, while it remained steady here at 4.87½@5.00. Iron closed at 51s 6d in Glasgow. Locally, it was unchanged.

Omaha Grain Market.

OMAHA, May 31.—May corn on the local grain exchange had a range of 10 cents today as a result of what is said to have been an attempt by a leading member to corner that delivery. A number of brokers who had sold short for some time were forced to buy back much of their short corn at a price ranging from 4 to 8 cents above the price at which they sold it. A. B. Jacquith, who has been the prominent long, secured an injunction today in the District Court restraining the Omaha Grain Exchange from accepting for his account 145,000 bushels of corn from the Union Elevator Company, which that concern was preparing to deliver to Jacquith as No. 2 corn. He alleges that the corn is below grade.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 3500; steady; good to prime steers, 5.40@5.90; poor to medium, 4.50@5.50; stockers and feeders, 3.25@4.90; cows, 1.75@4.75; heifers, 2.50@5.00; canners, 1.75@2.90; bulls, 2.50@4.80; calves, 3.00@5.75. Hogs—Receipts today, 22,000; tomorrow, 35,000; mostly 5c lower; mixed and butchers', 4.60@4.75; good to choice heavy, 4.70@4.80; rough heavy, 4.55@4.65; light, 4.50@4.65; bulk of sales, 4.60@4.70. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 5.25@5.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.75@5.00; western sheep, 4.75@5.50; native lambs, 5.00@6.35; western lambs, 5.40@6.65; spring lambs, 5.50@7.35.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Close: Wheat—May, 97; July, 85⅝; old, 86⅞; September, 80½; old, 82½; December, 80. Corn—May, 47; July, 47⅝; September, 47½; December, 43⅞. Oats—May, 40⅛; July, 38⅞@38⅞; September, 30⅝. Rye, May, 72. Flax, cash, Northwestern, 1.06½. Timothy, May, 3.00. Clover, May, 10.75. Barley, cash, 36@57.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The market for coffee futures closed quiet, at net unchanged prices. Total sales were reported of 14,500 bags, including: June, 5.50; July, 5.55; August, 5.65; September, 5.80@5.85; December, 6.10; January, 6.15; March, 6.35@6.40.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 7-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-16; molasses sugar, 3 3-16; refined firm; crushed, 5.65; powdered, 5.05; granulated, 4.95. Coffee steady; No. 7 Rio, 6⅝.

Cherries from San Jose.

SAN JOSE, May 31.—Four carloads of cherries have been shipped East from this city this week. There is a lively demand, and prices are good.

Coffee Options.

NEW YORK, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Coffee closed—June, 5.50@5.55; July, 5.55@5.60; March, 6.35@6.40. Total sales, 15,000 bags.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—Wool steady; Territory and western mediums, 16@21; fine mediums, 16@17; fine, 15@17.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Cotton futures closed steady, at a net decline of 26@37 points.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, May 31.—Close—Wheat, July, 6s 3⅝d; September, 6s 4¼d.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) May 31.—Credit balances, 1.62; certificates, no bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.
GRAIN, FRUIT AND PRODUCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Only a light buying interest was shown in deciduous fruits today, the movement being purely local in character, and under free supplies the general market leaned towards easiness. Prices for cherries were lower, and outside of moderate call for a few fancy parcels, which brought up to top quotations, trade was sluggish, and heavy holders were disposed to force business by offering marked inducements to takers of large lots. Bulk stock held the principal interest, and for fine large blacks trade readily paid the best quotations. Canners were in the market, paying from 2@3c for both colored and white varieties, but did not get a great quantity at these rates. Royal Annes are still running small in size, and are not particularly favored. Free offerings of apricots from all growing sections were at hand, and were to be had at cheaper rates. Several large lots shipped from Los Angeles were included in the supplies, and sold in the neighborhood of 1.25. Green apples were neglected, scant offerings being far in excess of requirements. Cantaloupes from Coachella Valley were in increased supply, and met with quick sale at 3.50 for a crate of 16 melons. Watermelons from Mexico were offered at 50 cents apiece. Black figs from Yuma and Palm Springs were in free supply at 1.00@1.25 a box. There was good trade in strawberries, and better-quality offerings were well absorbed at sustained rates. Ordinary stock dragged, and packers got quite a few of large kinds at inside rate. Loganberries were most abundant, and were offered at a sharp decline. Blackberries were also more plentiful, and were cheaper in price. Raspberries from across the bay were sold at 1.25 a drawer. Offerings from Los Angeles brought 15 cents a basket. This will probably be the last week for southern offerings, as prices are now getting too low to warrant the expressing of fruit this way. Gooseberries dragged at unsustained rates, and under slow demand. Prices for currants declined sharply, outside rate being extreme for fancy lots of cherry variety. Oranges offered but little feature, and under slow trade prices were without noteworthy change. At auction, held Monday, seven cars were sold at following prices: Navels, choice, 1.50@2.15; standard, 75@1.65; choice, Valencias, 1.60. Other citrus fruits were at last quoted, supplies and demand equally balancing. Supplies of new potatoes were excessive, and the market exhibited an easy tone at lower prices. On the wharf, sales were fairly active at decline, but the top quotation was only obtained for one extra lot of whites, 1.65 being the best figure for the general run of first-class stock. Prices for onions were easy, under free supplies and moderate trade movement. In miscellaneous vegetables, prices varied but slightly. Beans were the easiest offering on the list, supplies exceeding requirements and heavy receipts of cheap sorts coming to hand. The best grades were fairly well cared for at highest rates, but lower-quality stock was ragged, and canners got several lines of southern close to 1½c a pound. Asparagus was well cared for between canners and the trade, and offerings of peas were well absorbed at the same changes. Tomatoes met with good call at steady rates, as did cucumbers, egg plant and peppers. Marysville cucumbers sold at from 1.50@2.00 a box. Summer squash was more plentiful, and cheaper in price.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Flour—Family extras, 4.60@4.85; baker's extras, 4.35@4.60.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.26¼@1.30; milling, 1.37½@1.45.

Barley—Feed, 1.05@1.08¾; brewing, 1.10@1.12; Chevalier, nominal.

Oats—Red, 1.30@1.37½; white, 1.40@1.50; black, 1.25@1.30.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 25.00@28.00; mixed feed, 22.00@23.00; rolled barley, 23.00@24.00.

Hay—Wheat, 10.50@15.00; wheat and oat, 10.50@13.50; oat, tame, 7.50@12.50; barley, 8.00@11.00; alfalfa, 8.00@10.50; straw, 60@75.

Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 37,489; wheat, centals, 3644; barley, centals, 18,159; oats, centals, 2986; beans, sacks, 5569; corn, centals, 2438; potatoes, sacks, 3621; onions, sacks, 768; bran, sacks, 530; middlings, sacks, 480; hay, tons, 585; straw, tons, 15; hides, number, 411; wine, gallons, 67,000.

Fruits—Fancy apples, 2.25; common, 1.00.

Berries—Strawberries, 2.00@7.00; blackberries, 4.00@5.00; raspberries, 1.25@1.50.

Melons—Fancy cantaloupes, 3.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.00; pineapples, 1.50@3.00.

Beans—Pink, 3.40@3.55; lima, 3.20@3.35; small white, 2.80@3.10; large white, 2.30@2.55.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.00@1.40; river Burbanks, 90@1.15; new potatoes, 1@1⅝.

Onions—Fancy, 5.00; common, 90.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 19; seconds, 18; fancy dairy, 18; seconds, 16.

Cheese—Eastern, 15@16; Young America, 8½@9.

Eggs—Ranch, 17½@20; store, 16@17½.

Various—Green peas, 1.25; string beans, 1@5; egg plant, 8@12½; green peppers, 8@15; tomatoes, 1.25@1.75; summer squash, 1.00@1.25; asparagus, 4@6½; rhubarb, 35@65; garlic, 5@6; cucumbers, 50@1.75; Mexican tomatoes, 2.00.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 14@15; roosters, old, 4.50@5.00; roosters, young, 7.50@8.50; broilers, small, 2.00@2.50; broilers, large, 3.00@3.50; fryers, 5.50@6.50; hens, 5.00@7.00; ducks, old, 4.50@5.00; ducks, young, 5.00@6.00; geese, 1.25@1.50; goslings, 1.50@1.75; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 1.50@2.00.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	8	Hale & Norcross	75
Andes	15	Justice	17
Belcher	30	Mexican	155
Best & Belcher	150	Occidental Con	79
Bullion	13	Ophir	537½
Caledonia	87	Overman	35
Challenge Con	20	Potosi	17
Chollar	16	Savage	29
Confidence	116	Seg. Belcher	11
Con. Cal. & Va.	155	Sierra Nevada	39
Con. Imperial	1	Silver Hill	52
Crown Point	20	Union Con	56
Exchequer	39	Utah Con	6
Gould & Curry	28	Yellow Jacket	19

New Crop Barley.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The first carload of California new-crop barley of this season arrived in this market today from Collis in the San Joaquin Valley, and was sold at public auction at 1.07½. The new barley classed as choice feed, and the price paid was above the regular market rate for old barley and in the nature of a premium. The first new barley received last season was on June 1, and sold for 1.10. Today's arrival was, therefore, one day ahead.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Wheat weaker; December, 1.30⅜; May, 1.31¼. Barley steady; December, 96½. Corn, large yellow, 1.52½@1.55. Bran, 22.00 and 22.50.

California Oil Exchange.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Oil Exchange, morning session: Four Kern River, 10.00; 200 Sovereign, .39; 100 Monte Cristo, .65.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—Silver bars, 55; drafts—sight, 7½; telegraph, 10.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Terribly Burned.

Jim Ranishioni, an Italian laborer, was terribly burned about the legs and arms yesterday by the explosion of a gasoline stove. He was brought to the Receiving Hospital for treatment.

Whole Theater Full.

Members of the Fraternal Brotherhood will appear in the Casino Theater tonight to the number of about 400, most of the seats in the house having been engaged for the evening for the big party, which will be chaperoned by C. P. Dandy, Supreme President.

Credit Men Talk Insurance.

The regular monthly meeting of the Los Angeles Credit Men's Association was held last night at Levy's. Frank Simpson taking the chair, and representatives from all of the wholesale business houses being present. W. C. Mushet, secretary of this association also secretary of the Wholesalers' Board of Trade, was chosen as a delegate to the national convention to be held in New York City June 15 and 16. Mr. Mushet was instructed to see to it that the next annual convention is held in Los Angeles. The subject of the evening was "Insurance." A. A. Allen addressed the meeting on "Fire Insurance," pointing out the best form of policy, the proper manner of keeping stock and books to facilitate adjustments, the different events under which a policy would be void and the liability of insurance companies. W. H. Preston of the Stetson-Preston Company spoke on the subject of "Credit Insurance." The addresses were followed by informal discussion, and the meeting proved highly interesting.

BREVITIES.

Mrs. W. F. Sibly, 131 W. Thirtieth street, Los Angeles, has won the first prize offered by L. N. Cushman of Boston for securing subscriptions to his magazines. The prize is a very fine piano made by Wing & Son of New York. Mahogany case, and said to be worth $750. Th piano arrived all safely. The Wing piano for beauty of tone and durability is unexcelled. Mrs. Sibly has received many congratulations from friends in the city; also eastern friends.

Subscribers to The Times are offered a $7.50 Columbia graphophone at cost of freight, handling, etc., to wit: $1.25, which includes a single record of your own selection. The price of gold-molded records under this arrangement is 25 cents each; (former charge 50 cents each.) The machine can be heard to play at The Times office, where it is on exhibition daily. The plan will be explained fully to anyone calling at The Times' Graphophone Department.

Ladies, attention! Mrs. Raynor of "The Adele" having disposed of the lease of her present store, will be found at Beeman & Hendee's, 347 S. Broadway, where she will occupy one of the reception rooms until she has disposed of the remainder of her fine stock of stylish millinery at attractive prices.

"Entrees and Salads" is the subject of the demonstration lecture by Miss Farmer of the Boston Cooking School at Y.W.C.A., 3 p.m. today.

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for S. W. Thorne, E. A. Higginson, Ed L. Young, W. H. Marker, C. C. Libby, I. H. Russell, Fred W. Kiesel, C. V. Blackburn, J. H. Sullivan, W. A. Washburn, W. K. Knapp, J. E. Sherry, J. H. Loder, Phil E. Lawrence, Mrs. Burt Ross, Jack Neale, E. P. Washburn, Luis Rivera, Ira Mariana de Martinez, Bishop Warren, Charlton Cabble, Fred J. Miller, Mrs. E. H. Ellis, Mrs. W. A. Reeves, Paul H. Rasmussen, W. P. Williams, C. L. Ritzon.

HOLLYWOOD.

FAREWELL SURPRISE PARTY.

HOLLYWOOD, May 31.—Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jackson, with their sons, Wayne and Herbert, will leave for Chicago Thursday to attend the commencement exercises of the Armour Institute, where their oldest son graduates with honors next week. They will visit the World's Fair before returning to Hollywood. About fifty friends in Cahuenga Valley, under the leadership of Col. W. J. Fife, gave them a farewell surprise party tonight at their beautiful home on Prospect and Lemona avenues.

Short addresses were made by Rev. Miller, J. O. Churchill, Mr. Jackson and Col. Fife. Music was furnished by Miss Miller and Miss Murphy. Light refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. Fife and Mrs. Hampton. By special request at the close of the programme Col. Fife recited several eloquent selections, closing with "The Tribute to the Flag."

LOCAL BREVITIES.

George H. Coffin, wife and son leave on Thursday for an extended business trip through the East, with St. Louis and Boston as objective points. They will be absent several months.

Mrs. Bravendar will leave for a visit to her old home in Iowa tomorrow and will visit St. Louis before she returns.

A careless driver urged his horse upon the crossing over the new bridge on Prospect avenue. The horse fell between the ties and was removed with great difficulty.

At a meeting of the citizens of Hollywood tonight E. C. Hampton, Charles J. George and R. M. Pagson were unanimously nominated to succeed themselves as trustees of the Hollywood city schools.

CLAREMONT.

ATHLETIC FARCE.

CLAREMONT, May 31.—Before a large and lively audience, the annual athletic farce was given last night. It was entitled, "A Terrible Fix," and was loaded full of fun and humor. The leading part was taken by Ralph C. Noble, '04, Pomona's crack vaulter, hurdler, tennis, football and baseball man. He had a difficult part and played it well. Other parts of the cast were well filled by the Misses Hill, Twinting, Swigart and Browne; and Messrs. Buker, Parks, Variel and McCormick.

Miss Grace Thomas, the secretary to the president, and a popular young lady of Claremont is to sail from Boston, June 15, for an extended tour of Europe. Miss Thomas has been college bookkeeper for four years.

A. P. Condit has sold the James F. Drake property, on Alexander avenue to Mrs. Sarah N. Maech, who has also purchased a lot on Fourth street, west of Harvard, where she is to build a residence.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William L. Lindsay, aged 32, a native of Ohio and resident of Portsmouth, O., and Sarah E. T. Sparkman, aged 21, a native of Missouri and resident of Long Beach.

Carl L. Dunnell, aged 24, a native of Nebraska and resident of Sioux City, Iowa, and Mary E. Preston, aged 20, a native of Iowa and resident of Los Angeles.

Maynard W. Beckwith, aged 28, a native of Vermont, and Edith K. Bien, aged 25, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles A. Russell, aged 24, a native of California, and Genevieve Hayes, aged 20, a native of Arizona; both residents of Los Angeles.

W. J. Hutton, aged 28, a native of Virginia, and Christine Walker, aged 21, a native of England; both residents of Los Angeles.

E. W. Walker, aged 23, a native of Arkansas, and Eliza Washington, aged 21, a native of Georgia; both residents of Los Angeles.

Welwall N. Proctor, aged 32, a native of Tennessee, and Elizabeth D. True, aged 26, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles E. Rhone, aged 33, a native of Pennsylvania and resident of Douglas, Ariz., and Mary C. Bosbyshell, aged 25, a native of Iowa and resident of Los Angeles.

Michael P. Feely, aged 32, a native of Missouri, and Elizabeth A. McAulyiffe, aged 29, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

William E. Queener, aged 50, a native of Missouri, and Minni Courtney, aged 50, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

James H. Spicer, aged 27, a native of North Carolina, and Laura Young, aged 16, a native of Indian Territory; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edgar T. Williams, aged 30, a native of Iowa, and Lillian B. Frazier, aged 23, a native of Kansas; both residents of Whittier.

Hiram C. Rogers, aged 85, a native of New York, and Mary Jane Thompson, aged 65, a native of Illinois; both residents of Sawtelle.

Benjamin Brown, aged 53, a native of Tennessee, and Mrs. A. N. Dunning, aged 56, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Martin A. Brodine, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and Hattie L. Olson, aged 22, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

Marion F. Hatfield, aged 24, a native of Arkansas, and Lula E. Scoffern, aged 18, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Seth Stevens, aged 26, a native of Iowa and residents of Portland, Or., and Cora B. Warner, aged 28, a native of Wisconsin; both residents of Los Angeles.

Arthur W. Cripe, aged 27, a native of Iowa and resident of Fullerton, and Josephine Graves, aged 21, a native of California and resident of Long Beach.

Joseph C. Ealand, aged 30, a native of California, and Grace Ettein, aged 21, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

Thomas W. Blackburn, aged 49, a native of Pennsylvania, and Alice I. Hahn, aged 28, a native of Indiana; both residents of Omaha, Neb.

Clyde R. Zuder, aged 26, a native of Pennsylvania and resident of Bakersfield, and Laura V. Saffell, aged 19, a native of California and resident of San Pedro.

Jefferson T. Chandler, aged 31, a native of Missouri, and Elizabeth Shankland, aged 26, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Alma L. King, aged 28, a native of California and resident of Wadsworth, Nev., and Estelle I. King, aged 24, a native of California and resident of Los Angeles.

Claude L. Ford, aged 27, a native of Vermont, and Dolores Leihy, aged 19, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles Martinez, aged 21, a native of California, and Mary Patton, aged 18, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Nacarado, aged 37, a native of Italy, and Concetto Falbo, aged 20, a native of Italy; both residents of Los Angeles.

Alonzo H. Mayfield, aged 22, a native of Alabama, and Sarah L. Smith, aged 22, a native of Ireland; both residents of Santa Monica.

Joseph L. Taylor, aged 30, a native of Illinois, and Etta S. Curtis, aged 26, a native of Maine; both residents of Long Beach.

DEATH RECORD.

BONNIN—In Los Angeles, May 31, 1904, Maria L. Bonnin, aged 59 years. (Hermosillo paper please copy.)

CRITES—In this city, May 30, Eli R. Crites, father of Mrs. I. L. Kelly and Oscar I. Cultes, aged 55 years. Funeral from the parlors of Peck & Chase Co., No. 433 South Hill street, Thursday, June 2, at 9:30 a.m. Friends invited.

FRASER—In this city, Hugh Gordon Fraser, aged 1 year, son of S. R. and Mary McKay Fraser. Funeral Thursday, June 2, at 2:30 p.m., from the funeral chapel of W. H. Sutch, No. 842 South Figueroa street.

TOMPKINS—At Whittier, May 31, 1904, Sabina Tompkins. Funeral June 2, at 2:30 p.m., from First Baptist Church, Flower near Eighth. Los Angeles Lancustinus Circle, Women of Woodcraft, please be present. All Women of Woodcraft and Woodmen please attend.

Royal Arcanum.

Members of Sunset Council, No. 1074, are requested to meet at Peck & Chase parlors, 433 South Hill, Thursday, June 2, at 9:30 a.m. to attend the funeral of our late brother, E. R. Crites.

R. H. FORD, Regent.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Herbert Miller will be held from the parlors of Peck & Chase Co., today at 3 p.m.

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Thousands will go to St. Louis from this Coast, and complete arrangements for carrying them have been made by the Southern Pacific. If you are planning to go, ask any questions about rates, time or trains, by mail or in person, of nearest agent, or of Southern Pacific ticket office, 251 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

A Big Special Sale.

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All the balance of those bewitching pattern hats from famous French milliners originally selling from $20.00 to $30.00 will be closed out at $10.50. There are none like them in the city, none so exquisite in conception, so really costly in trimmings, and so marvelously becoming. These come in all the new Spring shades, trimmed with plumes, laces, and floral effects. Your choice $10.50.

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12½c Dress Ginghams 9c Yard
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June Clearance In Notions
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25c string ties, 10c.
25c silk shield bows, 15c.
25c pearl shirt waist sets, 15c.
25c hair pins, 15c.
15c embroidery turnover collars, 10c.
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25c bay rum, 10c.
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Basting cotton, 1c.
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25c Laces 7½c Yard
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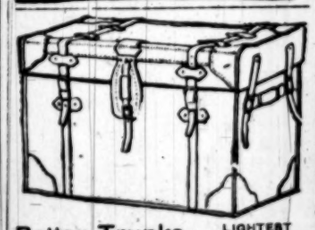

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METZ STAINS HIS OWN NAME.

Accuses Himself of Being an Embezzler.

Asks Detectives at Station to Lock Him up.

Astonishing Performance of Deputy Assessor.

"I am an embezzler. I have been false to the confidence my friends had in me and I want you to lock me up. I am up against it and I know it."

Thus spoke J. B. Metz, a deputy in the office of County Assessor Ben E. Ward last night at the desk at Police Headquarters. He addressed the remark to Desk Sergeant McClure and to several other officers who were standing near by. To a time he vouchsafed no explanation but insisted that the proper place for him was in jail and demanded that he be placed there.

"I know that I am breaking into jail," he said, "but it will come sooner or later and by tomorrow the truth will be known. I'm not fooling you. I could run away if I wanted to for I have sufficient money to buy a railroad ticket, but they'd catch me and it would go all the harder."

So unusual was the case that Sergt. McClure sent the man to the detectives' office and there he told all that is known about the matter, for even his employer, County Assessor Ward, does not know that Metz's accounts are not just what they should be.

"I've been to bed tonight but I could not sleep," said Metz, "I just had to do something and so I decided to come here and end the matter and cause no more trouble than possible. The amount of my shortage is between $250 and $300 and I haven't got the money to make it good. I'm all in and I am ready to take my medicine. I took this money two weeks ago."

"If you embezzled funds two weeks ago how is it that Mr. Ward knows nothing about it?" was asked.

"Oh, that's easy," replied Metz. "You see they check up once a month and tomorrow is the first of the month. Then they will find my shortage and it will be all up with me. No I have not been playing the races and have not been gambling. I've got a champagne appetite and a beer income.

"Billy Hammel got me the job and I hate myself on his account and on account of my bondsmen more than anything else. Thank God I'm alone and have no family. I can't go to my friends and ask them to make good this amount. I haven't got that much nerve. Just lock me up and it will be all right with me. Frank Kelsey is my bondsman. I gave a surety company bond and he is the agent for the company which gave my bond. The County Assessor's office is fully protected and will not lose a cent. I have never been in trouble before and I don't know what made me do this, but it's done now, and that is all there is to it."

HAD BEEN DRINKING.

Metz was not intoxicated to a degree that made it impossible for him not to realize the seriousness of the accusation he was making against himself. He had been drinking, but he was sober enough to walk without staggering and could talk rationally. Many times during his statement he expressed regret that he had caused his friends any trouble.

"Do you think I would do this if my story was not true?" he exclaimed when an officer expressed doubt as to the truth of his statement. "I know what it means. I have danced, and now I am ready to pay the fiddler."

The officers explained to him the necessity for investigating his statement before placing him in jail and he replied that he knew all about that and assured them that he would cause them no trouble.

"I came here to give myself up. I am an embezzler and you know what to do in such a case," he said positively. "Don't ask me too many questions. I will not tell you what I did with the money."

There was that about the man's manner which suggested great mental strain. There is no doubt that he believed what he was saying, but his manner was such as to lead to a suspicion that he was not wholly sound mentally. Whether that condition was due to drink or to some other cause could not be determined.

Under the circumstances there was nothing for the officers to do but to lock him up and he was accordingly placed in jail. County Assessor Ward was communicated with and he stated that he knew of no shortage in his office. The office and the county are protected by the surety company bond given by Metz.

MR. WARD'S COMMENT.

Mr. Ward said, when questioned about Metz: "Mr. Metz is a perfectly reliable man and has been with me for five years. He is perfectly honest and trustworthy and the only explanation that I could offer concerning his voluntary statement, is that the man is either under the influence of liquor or that he has become mentally unbalanced. I believe his accounts to be all right and have not the slightest suspicion that anything will be found wrong with them when examined tomorrow. I have the most perfect confidence in him and am unwilling to believe that he has been guilty of any wrong-doing.

"During the first year he was employed in the office he occasionally got a little the worse for drink, but since that time I have not known him to be under the influence of liquor, but it looks to me as if that is what must have happened to him tonight."

SAN DIEGO.

PANAMA RAILROAD INQUIRY

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, May 31.—A month ago the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce wrote to John Hay, Secretary of State, asking for the status of the contract between the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and the Panama Railway Company, stating that the two had hitherto operated in close connection with the continental railways, absolutely throttling all competition. Secretary Hay has replied through the Attorney-General's office that the affairs and managment of the Panama Railroad Company have not as yet been affected in any way by a transfer of a majority of the shares of the stock of the company to the United States government. Other than this no information is given.

WILL NOT SELL CHURCH.

By a close vote the First Methodist Episcopal Society has decided to decline the offer of $90,000 for its church property at the corner of Fourth and D streets. The church had sixty days in which to act. Two weeks ago those opposed to the sale asserted that they would not consent to the deal going through unless $30,000 was raised toward the erection of a new church edifice. The efforts to meet this provision failed, the quarterly conference last night voting to abandon the entire proposition. The opposition think the property will soon be worth $125,000.

NEWS LOCALETTES.

In response to a general request of La Jolla and Pacific Beach people for more water the board of Works has passed an ordinance, with heavy penalties, providing for restricted irrigation.

The local electric light and gas company is extending its electric lighting service to National City. The city has entered into a contract to use 12 arc lamps, while the people have put up a guarantee to use between 700 and 800 incandescents.

News has been received of the marriage in Tucson, Ariz., of former State Senator Nutt and Miss Carolynn Fordyke. Mr. Nutt, who has been in poor health for several years, expects to settle in Denver.

Judge Torrance today appointed H. A. Barker successor to Charles W. Pauly as receiver for the Golden Cross mines at Hedges.

Announcement is made that the Sunset Telephone Company has arranged for the extension of its service from here to Imperial. It is also stated that the Sunset will very likely absorb the telephone lines to Imperial.

JOSH AND JINGLE NAUGHTY FOURS.

HIGH SCHOOL HOST READY FOR CLASS FESTIVITIES.

Will Present Play in the Mason, While the Joshers Will go to the Grand—Diplomas Will be Received in Hazard's Pavilion—Commercial High to be Swallowed.

Preparations are in full blast for the High School commencement festivities, and the several events are scheduled to surpass all former efforts of the classes that have graduated on the hill.

The combined strength of the class is over 120, and promises to make things interesting for the last week in June. The school numbers over 1300 pupils.

The senior A's will have their class-day exercises in the Mason Operahouse on the afternoon of June 30, when they will present a play which is now in rehearsal. The class officers are: president, Kelso R. Glover; vice-president, Miss Lucy Howell; secretary, Miss Elsie Bridges; treasurer, Oscar Crawford.

The senior Bs will give their class josh in the Grand Operahouse on the afternoon of June 29, and things are now in the brew especially designed to make the seniors squirm. The special feature of the senior B exercises will be the presentation of the Star and Crescent pins to the graduates, which has always been an enjoyable feast for the audience, but often much to the discomfiture of the seniors, whose characteristic weaknesses are sought out for the grilling of the victims.

The officers of the senior B's are Harry Hossack, president; Miss Wendling, vice-phesident; Miss Byrdie Phillips, secretary; Ralps Huntsberger, treasurer.

The graduation exercises will be held in Hazard's Pavilion on Friday evening, July 1, which will be specially and elaborately decorated. The principal address will be made by David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University, and the class will be represented by Lynn Darrow and Miss Edith Walters. The diplomas will be presented by City Superintendent J. A. Foshay.

"Blue and White," the class publication, is now in press under the management of Irwin Behrens, a member of the senior class, and it promises to be of exceptional merit. In fact, Mr. Behrens is ready to bank on its being the finest one ever published.

COMMERCIAL HIGH.

The commencements of the Commercial High School have always attracted wide attention, under the direction of Prof. Francis, whose loyalty to his department has impelled him to take the warmest personal interest in the class events.

If possible, all former efforts will be surpassed this year, as this is the last commencement of the Commercial High. With the opening of the fall semester the Commercial school will lose its identity and the work of the Polytechnic High School will be taken up, with the exception of the shop work, which will be delayed until the completion of the new building.

There are over fifty in the graduating class and more than 400 in the school. The class-day festivities will take place in Elks' Hall on the afternoon of June 29, when the class pins will be presented, the class songs rendered, and a short farce presented.

The graduation exercises will be held in Simpson Auditorium on Thursday afternoon, June 30. The address to the class will be delivered by L. C. Gates of this city.

The class officers are as follows: president, Miss Grace Sutherland; vice-president, Miss Claudie Reed; secretary, Miss Irene Herskovite; treasurer, Justin Brockseiper. The class publication, "The Commercial Student," is now in press under the management of Justin Brockseiper and John Lang.

LIGHTNING CAUSES PANIC.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A flash of lightning that passed into the powerhouse of the United Electric Light and Power Company, which supplies power for the lights at Bellevue Hospital, threw the great establishment into darkness for nearly three hours. Fortunately, no operations were in progress and no damage was done. The flash was preceded by a fearful thunder clash and darkness following immediately after. At Mt. Vernon, lightning struck a power-house, and all traffic was crippled for the night. A small panic occurred in Trocadero Music Hall. Nearly 2000 persons, many of them women, were wildly excited for a few moments, and several fainted. Many of the hotels were affected by the storm.

VICTIMS OF MASTERSON.

Two Pasadena Ladies Come to Verge of Ruin.

San Francisco Company May Hear Bomb Burst.

More Trouble Brewing for the "Continental."

Complications arising out of the fraudulent dealings of the National Construction Company, which was dissolved by the conviction of its crooked promoters, Taylor, Christie and Masterson, are making trouble for the Continental Building and Loan Association of San Francisco, which was made to put up the money for so many of the swindles and which to protect itself was forced to wreck the National Construction Company by bringing suit against its trio of managers. A prominent attorney in Pasadena states that a bomb is about to burst upon the northern company, and that several suits are to be brought which will attack the legality of its business methods.

The pathetic case of two self-supporting maids of middle life, Misses Hannah Fitzgerald and Jane Gerrard of Pasadena, who were fleeced out of money hard earned over the washtub, is the talk of indignant neighbors of the North Los Robles district, and except for the kindness of a wealthy woman who came to the rescue and loaned them $1700, they would have lost their little home at the corner of Los Robles and Ashtabula avenues, which represents their all in this world.

Misses Fitzgerald and Gerrard came to Pasadena in October, 1892, and were persuaded by Taylor & Irons to buy a lot on North Los Robles avenue. A. J. Taylor borrowed $1700 for them from the Continental Construction Company with which to build a house, the company taking a deed of trust on the place as security. Several payments were made to A. J. Taylor and to F. S. Conger, who became the representative of the San Francisco company when Taylor was arrested. Conger told the women to deposit their regular monthly payments with the First National Bank of Pasadena to the account of the building and loan association. This the women assert they did, until almost $400 had been forwarded to the company, but they were not credited with all the payments, and further received notice that if the full amount of $1700 was not paid at once the mortgage would be foreclosed and they would lose their place. The poor women were scared to heart-breaking tears and in their anguish appealed to a benevolent lady, who refuses to allow the use of her name, and borrowed the $1700 and sent it up to the company, thereby freeing themselves from a burden which they say kept them "thin and unhappy." According to the contract the women had ten years in which to pay off the loan, but the ever-increasing tangle of the accounts proved to much for them. "And when the threat of foreclosure came all we wanted to do was to get rid of the company at any cost," explained Miss Gerrard yesterday afternoon when seen by a Times reporter.

This, it is claimed, is but one tale of many told by unfortunates in Pasadena who got into trouble through the National Construction Company. Just what the relations between this company and the Continental Building and Loan Association are, no one appears to know, and not even the pryings of the court have solved the mystery; but certain it is that the loan association is not out of the woods, and that many flats are being shaken in its face. Several legal fights are being drawn up, and yet the attorneys say that the whole thing is such a nasty tangle that they hate to tackle it. The operations of Masterson, Christie and Taylor were so varied that neither they themselves nor anybody who did business with them knew how matters stood, and yet in all transactions they managed to get the Continental Building and Loan Association into the mess.

When asked why they did not bring suit for the money which had been deposited, and for which they claim no credit was given, Miss Fitzgerald said: "It would only be sending one good dollar after a bad one, and the whole thing has been a case of one scamp finishing the work of another. I am just a woman, and do not understand it all, but know that we and many others were badly fleeced by Taylor and his associates. We do not feel that Conger is in any way responsible for the failure of the association to credit us with money sent, but we haven't got money enough—to find out through the courts. I make my living by washing clothes, and we have paid dearly for dabbling with speculators," she added with a sigh.

CHANGE AT OCCIDENTAL.

Prof. Mather Takes Position as Principal of Academic Department.

Prof. I. F. Mather, president of Fort Edwards Collegiate Institute of Sandy Hill, N. Y., has accepted the position of principal of the academic department of Occidental College, and will come with his family to Los Angeles in the near future, and take up his residence in Highland Park.

President Wadsworth of Occidental explained last night that a change has been made in the system of the university. "The academy and the college are to be kept separate, and Prof. Mather comes to take the principalship of the academy," he said. "The academic students will have their classes in the present building, while the college will meet in the new building, which is being erected, and which will be ready for occupancy by September. We believe that under this arrangement both departments will make more rapid strides, and we now have sufficient accommodations to handle a large increase in the attendance." It is said that the eventual aim of the institution is to become exclusively a college, dropping the academic courses. This report probably originated because repeated attempts to establish Sloyd departments in connection with the academy have been turned down. Dr. Wadsworth stated last night that there was little chance of Sloyd training becoming a part of the institution.

The new principal has been closely connected with school work for many years, having been city superintendent of schools in his eastern home, and having been principal of the High School. He has a brother living in Los Angeles who is in the employ of the Salt Lake road.

COUNCILMEN TALK WITH AUTOISTS.

LUNCHEON TO URGE RAISING CITY SPEED LIMIT.

Twelve Miles an Hour for Automobiles Within Certain Bounds is Suggested and Question of Framing New Ordinance is Left With Committees of Council and Club.

Shall a new ordinance be passed in Los Angeles allowing automobile drivers the privilege of more speed on the city streets than is sanctioned by the ordinance now in operation? If a new law is to be passed, what shall the maximum lawful speed be?

These questions formed the subject of an animated discussion yesterday at the luncheon given by the Board of Governors of the Automobile Club of Southern California at Levy's, to which were invited the Mayors, members of the city councils and chiefs of police of Los Angeles and Pasadena.

The automobile club representatives present were Dr. Millbank Johnson, A. P. Fleming, H. C. Turner, Frank A. Garbutt, F. O. Johnson and F. W. Flint, Jr., of the Board of Governors; H. C. Brown and Attorney Waldron of the club's Legal Committee; the members of the Los Angeles City Council except Todd; Chief of Police Hammel of Los Angeles, and Chief of Police Freeman of Pasadena.

Mayor Snyder could not be present on account of absence from the city, but sent a message expressing good will toward the club. Mayor Vedder of Pasadena also sent his regrets, but signified his willingness to advocate the passage in his city of any just and reasonable speed-regulating ordinance that might be framed and passed in Los Angeles.

As a result of the conference with the Councilmen, the matter of a new ordinance was left, at the suggestion of Councilman Bowen, in the hands of the Legislative Committee of the City Council, the City Attorney, and the Legal Committee of the automobile club.

It was suggested among the club representatives that a limit of twelve miles an hour on the open street and four miles an hour at crossings within the boundaries of Temple and Washington streets on Main street, and south to Seventh street on other main thoroughfares would be favorable to all concerned. As an additional precaution of law within these bounds, as well as a limitation to cover the rest of the city, Secretary Flemming suggested the insertion of the following clause, almost identical with that in the speed-regulating ordinance in force in New York: "No person driving or in charge of an automobile or motor vehicle on any street, avenue, parkway or driveway or public highway in this city shall drive or operate the same at any time at a speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having due regard to the traffic and use of the highway, or so as to endanger the life, limb or property of any person."

The extension of the twelve-mile limit as far south on Main street as Washington street was advocated on account of the excessive traffic of the former south of Seventh street as compared with other thoroughfares of the city.

The present maximum speed allowed by law within the city is eight miles an hour between blocks and four miles an hour at crossings. The ordinance is so restrictive that it is very difficult to enforce, so far as the eight-mile clause is concerned, as this entails so slow a rate of progress as to make it little short of ridiculous, it is claimed, to force an automobilist to kill time accordingly.

The Board of Governors passed a resolution thanking Mrs. H. L. Percy, the attractive chauffeuse who drove a touring car at the head of the parade a week ago, for her aid, and ordered that she be presented with one of the club's official buttons.

OLIVE STREET FRONTAGE.

Robert Hale and H. H. Baldwin have purchased of Forthman & Bergen 70x170 feet, on the east side of Olive street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, with a ten-room, two-story frame dwelling and two six-room frame cottages; consideration named, about $18,500.

WOMEN MAY GO.

The Y.M.C.A. Congress held another strenuous debate last night and decided that women should not be excluded from Washington because of their effect upon legislation. Walter E. Seitzer and Ernest Findley argued on the winning side of the question, while Frank Grossman and Rollie McCleary were the defeated exclusionists. Marcel Herbeling read a selection.

FOR TWELVE STORY STEEL.

Biggest Building of All at Third and Broadway.

Deal Practically Completed, Say the Promoters.

Immense Store in Prospect for Arthur Letts.

A twelve story steel building to cost over $2,000,000, and to cover a greater floor space than any other business building yet undertaken in this city, is among the probabilities of the near future.

The structure, for the erection of which the preliminary negotiations have already been consummated, will stand on the northeast corner of Broadway and Third street. It will have a total frontage of 182 feet on Broadway and 90 feet on Third street, and the north 60 feet of the Broadway frontage will have a depth of 330 feet, and extend eastward through the block to Spring street. The complete building will thus be in the form of an ell, with a 60 foot frontage on Spring street in addition to the frontages already enumerated on Broadway and on Third street. The lot, 122x90 feet, on the northeast corner of Broadway and Third street is owned by Frederick H. Rindge. The lot just north, having a frontage of 60 feet and a depth of 330 feet, and extending to Spring street, is owned by Col. R. M. Baker of Monrovia, and associates.

The preliminary negotiations for uniting the interests of the owners of these properties are in such shape that a practical, and definite understanding on the main points involved can be said to have been reached; though certain matters of detail are yet to be passed upon. The present leases on the properties have an average of about two years yet to run, but none of them extend, so far as could be learned, beyond two years from the 1st of next January; so that by that time, at furthest, work upon the new structure could begin. Col. George I. Cochran, the attorney for Mr. Rindge, while not desirous of talking for publication, admitted the correctness of the foregoing statements. Arthur Letts, the owner of the Broadway Department store, frankly admitted that he was desirous of securing a location that would afford more floor space for his growing business, and that he was negotiating with the parties in interest to secure a lease on all, or the greater portion, of the building described.

Mr. Letts has a lease, which has several years yet to run, on the present location of the Broadway Department store, at the southwest corner of Broadway and Fourth street.

There would be no difficulty however in disposing of that lease at a good bonus, and the necessities of trade frequently force merchants handling such large businesses as his establishment does to look some distance ahead and plan somewhat for such reasonable expansion as is practically certain to be necessary.

"We are cramped for space now," said Mr. Letts; "the location is a desirable one and arrangements are in progress looking to an arrangement of the kind described. Further than this I cannot speak at present."

LAST MONTH'S BUILDING.

The number of permits issued last month by Building Superintendent Krause was 528. The improvements authorized amounted to $901,244, and included 435 new buildings and stables, valued at $818,808; and 93 additions and alterations, to cost $82,436. Among the improvements for which permits were granted was one five-story brick building, $25,000; six three-story brick buildings, $115,994; seven two-story brick buildings, $28,700; six single-story brick buildings, $16,650; one three-story frame building, $12,000; fifty-four two-story frame buildings, $171,645; fourteen story-and-a-half frame buildings, $26,300; 254 single-story frame buildings, $240,535. In May, 1903, the number of permits was 432; the improvements authorized, $1,081,111. In May, 1902, the number of permits was 373; the improvements $346,584. In May, 1901, the number of permits was 181; the improvements $401,966. Last month shows a distinct gain over May, 1903, in the number of permits issued, and a slight diminution in the aggregate of improvements authorized. The number of new buildings, stables, etc., begun last month was greater than the total number of permits issued in May, 1903.

A SICKLY STRIKE AND OPEN SHOP.

As a result of the Council of Labor's declaration last week that henceforth union workmen in Los Angeles should not work on any job with non-union men a strike was declared yesterday among the carpenters employed by Pedgrift Bros., on the new California Club building at Hill and Fifth streets.

It was a very sickly strike. Five men walked out, as the result of the refusal of their demand that the "mixed gang" plan be abandoned, and only union carpenters employed in finishing the building. There were fifteen men on the job, but the rest held to their work.

Soon after the foolish five had walked out, some of them were back trying to go to work, but James Pedgrift wouldn't listen to them. He said that no one who walked out on him had any chance on the job again, and that he intended to go right ahead hiring whom he pleased. He found more good men that he could use when it came to replacing the quitters.

SAME STAND.

"Ours will be an open shop, henceforth and forever," was the declaration made yesterday by W. G. Hutchison of the W. G. Hutchison Company, proprietors of the Pacific Brass Works.

This declaration of emancipation from union dictation was made as the result of a walk-out of twenty-five of the company's gas and electric fixture workers, who sought to leave the factory in the lurch with its contracts because, forsooth, the Hutchison people aided a competing concern—Forve, Pettebone & Co.—when the latter was up against a similar strike last week. At least, this is the dire accusation made by the erstwhile union employés of the W. G. Hutchison Company, and the employers in question are not inclined to feel ashamed of it, or to mince words in explanation. They are now in the market for competent, honest gas and electric fixture workers, with or without labor creeds—it makes no matter, so long as they enter the factory to work for the W. G. Hutchison Company, and not to assume command of it.

W. G. Hutchison said yesterday: "To put it plainly, we are through dealing with unions. We have found that union dictation proves financially unfavorable to our business, and now we are going to try the other policy, and have our hands free. We are getting applications from workers for the position vacated by the strikers, and will soon have all the men we want. 'Open shop' is the word now."

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The City Council yesterday reaffirmed the award of the contract for city printing to the Times-Mirror Company and instructed the City Clerk to sign the contract.

Charges of conduct unbecoming an officer preferred against Detective Rich by Matt Kulish were yesterday dismissed by the Police Commission.

City Engineer Stafford yesterday afternoon recommended that the contracts for constructing the outfall sewer be let to the lowest sectional bidder.

Mrs. Narcissa Barker had her husband arrested yesterday for threatening to kill her. She is a business woman of means who can run her business at a profit, but not her husband.

Another alleged fraudulent divorce is alleged by Mrs. Susan M. Brandes, and she has begun suit to have her property rights guarded.

Justice Chambers had a case yesterday in which a shooting nearly took place over a pie.

E. P. Stinson was fined for cruelty to animals.

AT THE CITY HALL.

COUNCIL ADHERES TO CONTRACT.

VOTES TO DISREGARD MESSAGE OF THE MAYOR.

Instructs the City Clerk to Sign the Document Giving the City Advertising to "The Times"—Labor Union Agitators Proven to be Windbags.

Mayor Snyder's message declining to sign the city printing contract yesterday received short shrift at the hands of the City Council. It was read and placed on file and the Council reaffirmed the award, instructing the City Clerk to sign the contract in behalf of the city.

The only comment on the Mayor's action came from President Bowen, who told the other Councilmen that two years before the Mayor had refused to sign a similar contract when the award actually saved the city $13,740.

"At that time the Journal had made a bid of 15 cents an inch," said President Bowen, "the Express had made a bid of 40 cents an inch. The Mayor sent us a message declining to sign the contract and we instructed the City Clerk to affix the necessary signature. The official records in the City Clerk's office show that the city saved $13,806 on the price of the printing during that year by affirming its original award to the Journal.

"The bid the Mayor then favored was 260 per cent. higher than the one accepted by the Council. The one he now discredits is 50 per cent. greater than the one he would have us accept. One was for economy, the other for publicity. He has refused to sign either.

"The records of the City Clerk's office will further show that during the last two years an expense of $6700 has been incurred in public work that has been protested out, and the argument almost invariably made by the protestants for not making their protest before expense had been incurred was that they had not been notified that the improvement was contemplated."

Councilman Nofziger then offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"Whereas, there has been a great deal of complaint during the last two years on the part of property owners that public work was started without our knowledge, and

"Whereas, during the last two years expenses in the sum of over $6700 have been incurred in connection with public work which has been protested out or has been abandoned by the Council on request of property owners, chiefly because of lack of notice of the same and either the people or the city have had to pay said sum,

"Therefore, be it resolved, That we deem it wise and prudent that we accept the bid of The Times-Mirror Company, believing that it is the medium through which the great mass of people can be reached, that bid being the lowest, according to circulation, submitted to the Council."

Clerk Wilde read a communication from the Evening Express to the effect that: "The Express respectfully requests a readvertisement for bids for the city printing, and guarantees that if advertisements is had it will furnish a bid at a rate less than that made by any paper having within the city a circulation of 10,000 or more." Accompanying this request was a certified check for $1000.

McAleer offered an amendment to Nofziger's resolution that all bids be rejected and the City Clerk be instructed to readvertise. This amendment received but two affirmative votes.

A motion then passed, instructing the City Attorney to draw up a contract with The Times-Mirror Company for printing the city advertising for one year.

Walking delegates of the Typographical Union hung about the lobby while the bids were under discussion. For three days they had been boasting that they would create a sensation when the contract came up by presenting a petition for Davenport's recall. This they said would go to the clerk in case Davenport again voted for The Times. Davenport voted, but no petition made its appearance. The unionities said they were not yet prepared to send it in. One of their number later gave the snap away that the reason it was not presented was that it was about 600 names short of the 713 signatures of electors required to make the recall effective.

CHARGES DISMISSED.

DETECTIVE RICH EXONERATED.

Police Commissioner Rule believes that strong language is at times an efficient weapon for use by the police force. He holds that when an officer's hands are full making an arrest and an outsider butts in, the officer is justified in using his tongue in the most effective way he can.

"Rule on profanity" may prove a valuable addition to police department literature.

This came out yesterday during the trial before the Commission of Detective Rich charged with addressing profane and abusive language to one Matt Kulisch on the afternoon of May 1.

Kulisch interfered when Rich was arresting a drunken chole and was told in no uncertain terms to mind his own business. Kulisch testified that Rich applied to him all the damning epithets known to profane literature; but Rich said that he went no further than to say "I won't stand to be interfered with by no d—d man."

Mayor Snyder looked pained when Rich admitted the enormity of his crime. Not so with Commissioner Rule, who promptly moved that the charges be dismissed. "I hold in cases like this that the use of strong language is one of the officer's most powerful weapons, and I am willing to go in the minutes as saying so."

"Hold on" protested Mayor Snyder, "you better modify that. Of course in certain circumstances it is difficult for the officers to avoid profanity, but we must be careful about going on record as favoring its use."

Commissioner Lang evidently felt as Rule did, for he seconded the motion that dismissed the charges. The question as to whether officers are to be permitted to carry a rapid fire armament of "cuss words" was not decided.

The following applications for retail liquor licenses were received and referred to Chief Hammel for investigation and report: Jacob Beatus, 551 South Main street; J. Kujansky, 300 South Los Angeles street; J. T. Hinch, 225 West First street. A license was granted to J. G. Vance to conduct a wholesale liquor store at the corner of Figueroa and Seventh streets.

AGAINST BOXING.

COUNCIL MISCELLANY.

Members of the Crown Hill Improvement Association yesterday petitioned the City Council to pass an ordinance fixing a proscribed district inside of which boxing exhibitions of any kind or description shall be forbidden.

Judge Smith one day last week ruled that the prohibitive boxing ordinance passed a few months ago was not in accordance with the State law. This ordinance was the outgrowth of a petition from the Crown Hill people to have a prohibitive district established within the city limits.

The especial aversion of the West Enders is the big boxing pavilion at the western end of the Third street tunnel. They object to having boxing exhibitions held there and they want them prohibited by ordinance.

The anti-boxing petition was referred to the Council Committee on Legislation.

R. A. Guthrie petitioned the Council to offer for sale a franchise for a burglar and patrol alarm system. The communication went to the Board of Public Works.

Pawnbrokers and money lenders operating in offices one or more stories above the street have petitioned the Council for a rebate of their license. They represent that they do less than one-third the business of that done by the dealers on the ground floors and they think that they should be charged but one-third as much license. The present ordinance makes a free for all rate of $15 a quarter.

In response to numerous petitions from would-be astronomers, the Council yesterday voted to repeal the license tax imposed on operators of street telescopes.

Acting on a recommendation from the Finance Committee, the Council voted to permit Officer Foster to install twelve of his police signal boxes in a district to be selected by the Chief of Police, in order that the system may be given a thorough test. Mr. Foster agrees to put in the system free of all expense to the city and to allow a three months' test of its efficiency. If, at the expiration of that time the system proves to be all that its inventor claims for it, the city is to pay a rental of $6 a month for the use of each box.

An ordinance was passed requiring applicants for licenses for the establishment of phonograph parlors to get their petitions signed by a majority of the property frontage in the block before licenses can be granted.

MAY RETURN CHECK.

OUTFALL SEWER DISCUSSION.

For two hours last night the City Attorney and the Sewer Committee tried to devise ways and means to cut loose the strings on the $50,000 check deposited with the City Clerk last week to bind certain proposals made by N. W. Stowell for building the outfall sewer.

Several times they thought they had them all loose, but just then Attorney Swanwick, who represented Mr. Stowell, would interpose an objection that snarled the twine all up again. Finally in self-defense the committee voted to take the matter under advisement.

At the afternoon session of the Council City Engineer Stafford submitted a report recommending that the contract for building the sewer be let to the low sectional bidders. This recommendation was as follows:

It will be seen that the lowest bid by sections is $31,744 less than the lowest bid for the work as a whole. The plan of receiving bids for sections as well as for the whole work was originally advocated by me for the reason that I thought it insured greater competition and would allow local contractors who are working on a small scale, an opportunity to bid on one or more sections.

It was thought at the time of preparing the specifications that it was giving the local contractors an advantage; that the local people would bid by sections and that outside bidders would bid for the whole work. The condition is reversed from that anticipated, and we find the local bidders lowest for the whole work and outsiders lowest on sections.

While it is a nice thing, all other things being equal, to favor our home bidders, it would seem in this case manifestly unfair after the city had advertised through the East and invited bidders from all parts of the United States to participate, to award the contract to a local syndicate for a sum $31,744 in excess of the lowest aggregate bids by sections.

Having advertised in eastern papers and invited outside bidders, having asked for bids both as a whole and by sections; knowing the bidders to be thoroughly responsible, I consider it simple justice to award the work to the lowest bidders.

While the bid for the work exceeds my estimate but about 2 per cent., it is true that upon some sections it was considerably below while on other sections it was considerably above my estimates.

I wish to say that on work of this character that the best of engineers and contractors will vary honestly from 10 to 25 per cent., and it does not necessarily follow that because a bidder is above or below the engineer's estimate a small percentage, that the bid is either too high or too low.

I would therefore recommend that the contract be awarded to the lowest sectional bidders. In speaking of this recommendation I have not considered the "Stowell proposition." This proposition has not been referred to me.

Minute Clerk Wilde read Mr. Stowell's proposal in which he offered to build the sewer for $50,000 less than the aggregate of the low sectional bids, or to build section 2 for $10,000 less than the lowest bid; or to build section 3 for $22,500 less than the low bid. He told the Councilmen that the check which accompanied the proposal had been converted into a certificate of deposit and placed in the city treasury.

Farish moved that the City Engineer's report and the Stowell bid be referred to the Sewer Committee with instructions to report at today's session of the City Council.

Skilling asked for the City Attorney's opinion as to whether the city could confiscate the $50,000 check in case Stowell fell down on his proposition. Mr. Mathews said that he was of the opinion that the check in its present form would be difficult to confiscate, but suggested that if Mr. Stowell was really in earnest about making good his guarantee, he, the City Attorney, would draw up a stipulation under which the money might become available.

Attorney Swanwick said that his client had made a bona fide proposition that ought to be wide enough to embrace all the points at issue and objected to making the offer any more binding.

Then the Council voted to send the bids and refer all bids and communications to the Sewer Committee.

Attorneys representing the sectional bidders joined forces before the Sewer Committee at the evening session of that body and pictured innumerable disasters that would befall the city if bids should be rejected. Attorney Simons, representing Miller & Franklin, who were low on section 5, told the committee that, under the State law, there were only two ways in which he city could receive money, namely, by gift and agreement.

He argues that Stowell's bid was not a gift and that the city had not the authority to make an agreement. He also urged that if the city should reject all bids after asking eastern firms to compete and after they had actually done so and underbid all competitors, it would lose at least $500,000 on future contracts within the next ten years. This loss he said would be occasioned by the disinclination of outside firms to figure on work that would probably be taken away from them, even though they should make the low bid.

Then Attorney Frank Tomas made an appeal in behalf of J. Harvey McCarthy for more time. He said that Mr. McCarthy's investment company had made estimates on three sections that were over $50,000 below the sectional bidders and that if allowed two weeks more time he would cut out at least $25,000 more. As there was nothing tangible back of this offer it was not given very serious consideration.

City Attorney Mathews said that the only way in which the check deposited by Mr. Stowell could be considered by the city would be for Mr. Stowell to deposit the money as a donation to the city, without any strings on it whatever, trusting to the city to return it to him in case he carried out his part of the proposal submitted.

Stowell's attorney thought this was going a bit too far and declined to recommend to his client such an arrangement. Then it was that the committee voted to take the matter under advisement.

While nothing definite was agreed upon at the executive session that followed, the consensus of opinion among the Councilmen was that Stowell's communication should be filed, his check returned to him and the bids considered on their merits.

The Council yesterday afternoon made a contract with the Inglewood Land and Water Company whereby the last right-of-way dispute over the outfall sewer was settled. The city paid $15,000 for two miles of right-of-way.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

SOME LUXURIES TOO EXPENSIVE.

MRS. NARCISSA BARKER IN A PECK OF TROUBLE.

Her Second Husband Fails to Fulfill Expectations, and Has Threatened to Kill Her—She Makes All the Money and He is Anxious to Spend it.

To indulge in a husband as a luxury is all right for the wives that take it that way, but Mrs. Narcissa M. Barker has tried it and it hasn't panned out worth a cent.

Mrs. Narcissa, too, is a mature woman and knows what she's talking about, and has long passed the giddy stage of existence when a husband oftimes shines refulgent in the glare of the little wifey's imagination. She has four children and that in itself sufficed to have a sobering influence, if one were needed.

But Mrs. Barker also owns real estate, quantities of it, the husband maintains, and has proven herself quite a shrewd business woman during the last few years. But she was suffering from an attack of mental strabismus when she invested in her last husband. Her first one was all right for he gave her four children and then died, but he was provident enough to leave her property enough to maintain herself and them in more than comfort.

Now Mrs. Narcissa is in court with a complaint against her husband. She says that he threatened to kill her, and believes that he would have done it—and may do it yet if he is not brought up with a round turn. She says that he posed as an honest working man—once—but for a long time past he has not done a particle of work to her knowledge, either honest or any other kind. He has just lived off her. No encouragement on her part, no remonstrance or appeal of any kind proved strong enough to impel him to get out and work. Sometimes, if he was in a good humor, he'd do a good deal—but not work; that was asking too much.

During the last four years Mrs. Barker, who lives at the corner of Thirty-first street and Manitou avenue, has bought up small tracts of land and built houses for sale. She is credited with having added very considerably to her bank account, and is quite a business woman. But the husband is now the discordant element in the household and Mrs. Barker has set about rectifying matters in the same matter of fact way she has attended to her other ventures. In business she has been a success, but as a dabbler in romance she has something left to hope for.

George A. Barker is the name of the husband and when brought before Justice Young yesterday for arraignment it appeared as if he were just a trifle daffy. He was held in $1500 bail, and his examination was set for Thursday next.

NEW GRAND JURY.

DUTIES MERELY FORMAL.

Another grand jury was empaneled yesterday morning in accordance with the provision of the new rules adopted by the judges of the Superior Court. Until this year one grand jury was found to suffice for all the needs of the county, and when the fact is taken into consideration that the recommendations of the grand jury were never adopted, and the report received immediate burial in the official archives, the necessity for even one grand jury each year was not, on the surface, apparent. But under the new rules of court two grand juries are to be henceforward appointed each year. The names of those serving on the present panel are as follows:

George W. Stockwell, foreman; H. B. Adams, W. G. Benedict, Terril R. Crawford, H. C. Draves, Edwin T. Earl, D. K. Edwards, George F. Ferris, Robert Hale, A. L. Hammond, John R. Mathews, Charles F. Off, Henry A. Perkins, George H. Peck, Jr., Carl G. Packard, F. W. Partridge, F. Q. Story, George W. Simonton and George L. Stearns.

In charging the grand jury Judge Smith was very brief. He said that it would not be necessary for them to expert the books of the county at this time, and that he was not aware of any criminal matters requiring their attention. Furthermore, they were reminded, as is usually the case, that criminal prosecutions are more easily and expeditiously conducted by information than by indictment.

That was about the gist of the charge and with a few words of compliment the new grand jurors took themselves off to the jury room to hold the usual formal session.

WIFE ASKS SUPPORT.

BRAKEMAN LEAVES HOME.

Sarah K. Humbel is after her husband to compel him to support her and his 10-year-old child. She doesn't want anything so common as a divorce, but she demands that the court compel him to pay her $40 a month permanently, and let it go at that.

The Humbels were married in 1892 at Dallas, Tex., and lived together until about two months ago when, it is alleged, that the husband left his home, and refused to either return or give any aid or support to his wife. He is a brakeman in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, and is said to receive $84 a month as wages. The wife avers that he has threatened that if she dares to bring any suit against him he will leave the State, so Mrs. Humbel asks the court to hurry up and make the order for her alimony and give her the custody of the child at the same time.

THE FAMILY DIVIDED.

CAUSE IS A VANISHED NOTE.

A. E. Conway and T. H. B. Conway have begun suit against Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Conway and Albion N. T. Conway, to compel them to disgorge a certain promissory note for $800 which it is alleged they hocus-pocused out of the way to their own advantage.

All the parties to the suit carried on the Central Market at Santa Monica, but since this trouble over the note the family is divided and they don't speak as they pass by. The trouble began when one John R. Black, a brother-in-law, contrived to get into the plaintiff's debt to the extent of $800, and there was a private understanding arrived at by which it was agreed that the defendants to the suit now begun should make their note for the amount to the plaintiffs, and that Black's debt should be wiped out. The note was made all right, and was stowed away with other papers in the big safe in the Central Market.

Now, all parties are alleged to have had access to this safe, and it is charged that in February last Charles W. Conway took some papers and this note for $800 from the safe and has kept them out of sight ever since, or else has destroyed them. The action is begun to compel a return of the note or its face value.

With regard to the defendant, Albion N. T. Conway, it is stated that he owns a one-third interest in the note, but that he persistently refuses to join the plaintiffs in prosecuting the matter, and they have consequently made him a defendant. They aver, too, that he has been paid $25 to stand pat in the matter, and that is an additional source of discontent.

AFTER EX-HUSBAND.

MRS. BRANDES ON WARPATH.

Mrs. Susan M. Brandes is on the warpath after her ex-husband, John B. Brandes, and if the allegations of her complaint are correct, she is very liable to get him in a tight corner. Incidentally, too, Mrs. Brandes goes after William E. Brandes and Lyla M. Brown, children of her ex-husband by a previous wife, charging that they have been party to a fraud perpetrated upon her.

The plaintiff avers that in June, 1901, she was in Seattle and that her husband seized the opportunity to begin divorce proceedings against her, on the ground of adultery. She says that she received no summons in the case, though her husband knew perfectly well where she was. When the case came to trial on December 3, the wife necessarily under these conditions making default, a decree was ordered in favor of the husband. Now Mrs. Brandes maintains that all the allegations made at the divorce trial were false, though she never learned of there having been a divorce until the spring of 1903, when her husband informed her that he wasn't her husband. He said that he had his decree all right on the ground of desertion, which was another fabrication.

But Mrs. Brandes has come into court now not to combat the divorce decree nor ask that it be rescinded, but only to compel her husband to play fair over the property. She avers that at the divorce trial the property rights were not determined, and that all that her husband possesses is community property. Without attempting to place a valuation upon it, Mrs. Brandes sets out a number of real estate holdings, and charges that he has made over a great deal of property to his children for the purpose of defrauding her.

The plaintiff wife asks the court to declare the deeds made to the children fraudulent and void, and to determine that half of all the property held by her husband is held merely in trust for her.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

TO STUDY CIVICS. Prof. French brought his class from the Ninth-street School yesterday to the courthouse, and during the morning hours they were shown how Los Angeles county is conducted. The boys and girls lined up before the Supervisors while the harbor matter was being discussed, and then crowded into Judge Wilbur's court and learned how a civil jury is empaneled.

PERKINS'S TRIAL SET. Lucien W. Perkins, the insane crank from Illinois, was before Judge Smith yesterday and entered his plea of not guilty to the perjury charge. His trial was set for June 17.

COLEMAN SENTENCED. James Coleman, convicted of robbery on the highway, in company with Boyne, who was sentenced to fifteen years at San Quentin, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Smith to the same term of years as his companion in the crime. Coleman, like his associate, is an old offender, and has served time before.

SENT TO HIGHLAND. Mrs. John Fernand was ordered committed to Highland yesterday. The woman is about 59 years of age, and only within the last month has she displayed violent symptoms, though for a long time she has been unbalanced in her mind.

MINING AND MILLING. The Twentieth Century Mining Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $500,000, of which $7 has been subscribed. The directors are: J. C. Gomber, C. B. Ricketson, F. Merithew, G. Hutchenson, B. W. Bonfoey, M. C. Stewart and J. Clifford.

CLARK CONVICTED. Charles Clark was brought to trial and convicted yesterday before Judge Smith and a jury of having committed grand larceny in having "rolled" Ira B. Cales on Requena street and stolen $26 from him. Clark will be sentenced on Friday.

ANOTHER HOME. The San Fernando Valley Home Telephone Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, of which $10,000 has been subscribed. The directors are: C. F. Guthridge, C. L. Zahn, A. Wright, D. F. Boyce, and C. P. Platt, all of Los Angeles.

MISSED A COG. Mrs. M. Gilley was refused a divorce from W. Gilley by Judge Conrey yesterday. The wife alleged that her husband had been guilty of a felony before marriage, and she knew nothing about it until long after he had married her in fraud. It developed, however, that Gilley while a youth had been in a reform school, and the court held that that was no bar to the marriage, whether he told his wife about it or not. The case was ordered off the calendar.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

PISTOLS DRAWN OVER A PIE.

DIVINITY IN A NET-WORK WAIST INSULTED.

Hideous Tragedy that Happened in a Spring Street Lunch Counter. Truck Driver Would Have Hurled a Teapot at a Perfect Lady, but for a Strong Look.

The unspeakable wretch who put salt on the strawberry pie nearly brought on a murder in front of a Spring-street lunch counter.

A divinity in a net waist and a man in two black eyes told Justice Chambers about it yesterday.

Their story cost a young truck driver named H. C. Roller $15, and having been in criminal proximity both to the salt on the pie and the black eyes plastered over the face of G. B. Miller, the latter a man who will not see a woman abused if he knows it, by hunky, and who resolutely gave that truck driver a strong stare for threatening to throw a teapot at the lady.

Both men were in the lunch counter when Miller asked for pie and the lady found it lying it front—or do pies sit?—anyhow in front of Roller; it was covered with salt.

"I don't think that very smart," said the divinity in the peephole waist, with a sniff.

"Gwan," said the rude truck driver. "Gwan, damn ye, or I'll throw this teapot at you."

Mr. Miller, although sitting at the extreme end of the counter, was perfectly horrified.

"I just turned around and gave him a pretty strong look," he explained to Justice Chambers.

Roller told him he would "knock his block off," when he caught him outside.

"He used curse words," said the divinity in a timid voice, "and (with a heavenly sigh,) he treated me awful mean."

When Miller got outside, Roller and two of his friends jumped onto him and Miller had to draw a revolver to protect himself. Before any shooting was done an officer arrived on the scene and arrested the whole bunch. Roller was fined $15 and Miller was allowed to go free.

POLICELETS.

A QUEER DEFENSE.

J. Johansen, a squatty Swede sailor, was brought before Justice Chambers yesterday for being drunk. The night before it took four officers to hold him down while he was handcuffed, but before the judge he trembled so he could scarcely hold his hat. "Ay don know nottin about ut," he said miserably. "Ay bane sailor man; Ay bane joost now driving sweel wagon." The court fined him $5.

T. Mateo Delgado and Miguel Hernandez, two Mexicans who had a long-distance duel with paving stones on Believue avenue on Decoration Day, pleaded guilty through an interpreter yesterday. "Did you have a fight?" asked the court. They exchanged doubtful glances, and Hernandez replied gravely, "We were very drunk and it is most probable." They were fined $10.

In the usual language of the statute, Charles Williams was charged with having been an idle and dissolute person for the sixty days last past. "Well," he said gloomily, "I don't see how that can be as I just got off the chain gang ten days ago, but I spose I might as well plead guilty. I guess I'll get it in the neck anyhow." The court entered a plea of not guilty for him and continued the case until today.

Francisco Cardenas, accused of disturbing the peace for swearing vilely at a man, advanced a unique defense in Justice Chambers' court yesterday. He said another Mexican was asking him what the words meant that Americans were also saying in such excitement, and he was merely giving him a lesson on that phase of the English language. It was a good excuse but didn't go. Francisco was assessed $15.

E. P. Stinson was fined $10 yesterday for driving a horse afflicted with tumors, which the Humane Society ordered shot.

THE FEDERAL COURTS.

TOM HAYS'S TRIAL LONG WAY OFF.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY IN UNITED STATES COURT.

Attorney Meserve's Motion to Quash Indictment Against Riverside Bank Wrecker is Denied. Trial May Not Come Off Until Winter.

H. T. Hays, the former cashier of the Orange Growers' National Bank of Riverside, made his appearance in the United States District court here yesterday morning and pleaded not guilty to the five charges of violating the national banking laws, which appear in the indictment brought against him by the Federal grand jury.

No date of trial can be fixed until the opening of the fall term of court, July 11, and it is doubtful if the case can be set earlier than November.

Hays entered the courtroom with Attorney Meserve. When the case was called the attorney moved to quash the indictment contending that each of the five charges should have been brought in a separate indictment. United States District Attorney Valentine replied that he could quote ample authority showing the right to combine charges. Judge Wellborn denied Attorney Meserve's motion. The latter then filed a demurrer on the same grounds, which was overruled by the court, the defense taking exception to both rulings.

Hays' attorney requested an order from the court giving the defense the right to examine the bank's books at the places mentioned in the charges. The court replied that as the books are in the hands of a receiver, the court had no jurisdiction in the matter, but thought there would be no trouble in securing access to the books.

Mrs. Howe Sentenced.

Mrs. Lena G. Howe, indicted by the Federal grand jury for sending an obscene letter through the mail, plead guilty in the United States District court yesterday morning. She chose to plead guilty to avoid a public airing of the case, which is said to contain some sensational features, involving a man of more or less public standing in the east. Sentence was deferred until afternoon at the woman's own request. When court was called again at 4 o'clock United States District Attorney Valentine recommended a light sentence because of several mitigating circumstances in connection with the woman's position in the matter, and Judge Wellborn imposed a fine of $100 and imprisonment in the county jail until such fine be paid. Mrs. Howe, a woman of middle age, owns a little place in Gardena where she lives with a son who is on parole from the Highlands Insane Asylum. The objectionable letter was addressed to Mrs. Lucy Chester of Boston, a sister of the man who figures in the case.

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is on your clothes and you have won half the battle. The other half depends on your ability, honesty, courage and common sense.

Equal to fine custom-made in all but price. The makers' guarantee, and ours, with every garment. We are Exclusive Distributors in this city.

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830 South Main St.

Consisting of roll top desk, flat top desk, standing desk, Diebold safe, office files, engines, boilers, pumps, engine room tools, mangles, washers, extractors, tubs, wringers, ironers, air blowers, starchers, dampeners, sewing machine, baskets, racks, irons, tables, stoves, dye establishment, etc. Sale positive and no reserve.

Thos. B. Clark, Auct.

Auction

Friday June 3, 10 a. m.

1256 SOUTH FLOWER

Elegant Mahogany Upright Piano, Mahogany Sideboard, oak Bedroom Suits, Hair Mattresses, Bedding, Chiffoniers, odd Dressers and Commodes, Toilet Sets, oak Book Case, walnut secretary Book Case, Upright Folding Beds, Fancy Chairs and Rockers, oak Dining Table and Chairs, Body Brussels Rugs, Double Parlor Carpets, Art Squares, etc.

Rhoades & Reed.

Auction

At O. K. Nursery, one mile southwest Downey, at 10 a.m., Thursday, June 2, 16 head cows, now milking; 25 head 1 to 2 year heifers, some now springing; 3 Jersey bulls, one 3-year-old filley, 1 bay colt, bay mare, lot hogs and pigs. This stock is mostly Jersey and are fine good milkers. On account of setting my place out to orchard will dispose of all live stock. Lunch served.

E. P. Dismukes, Owner.

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Auction

14 Horses 14 Wagons 14 Sets Harness

Thursday, June 2

At 10 O'clock A. M.

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Bought the stock used by the Golden Gate Laundry

THOS. B. CLARK Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

The contents of Mr. A. C. Freeman's Private Stables at Agricultural Park (Race Track), Los Angeles, Cal., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1904.

11 o'clock a.m., consisting of BLACK SPANROAD MARES—Grace and Dinah—one by McKinney, 2:11¼, and the other by Silkwood, 2:09¾—can either pace or trot better than three minutes, and both good single drivers; sound, clean and absolutely city broke; of grand style and appearance. BAY GELDING, CASH—fastest road pacer in Los Angeles, also the best looker, can be driven by a lady; is a good road horse and fearless driver; sound and straight. FINE GENTLEMAN'S SADDLE HORSE—perfect Spanish broke and a dandy; city broke; sound and a good one. 1 bike pole runabout, 1 bike single runabout, 1 rubber tire Stanhope, 1 18-passenger Concord tallyho; 1 set fine double harness, 1 set fine trap harness, 2 sets single harness, four-horse new Concord harness. Everything is in first-class shape and extra fine; has been used very little and will be sold to the highest bidder for cash without limit or reserve.

A. C. FREEMAN, Owner.
ED R. SMITH, Auctioneer.

Auction

Furniture and Carpets.

Wednesday, June 1st.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

YESTERDAY afternoon the Misses Stein and Lillian Montague entertained a number of their young friends at cards in their beautiful new home, No. 1939 Oxford avenue, West Adams Heights. The house was artistically decorated with carnations, asparagus plumosus and sweet peas. Hanging baskets swung here and there filled with delicate sweet peas, and ferns were scattered in with the flowers. Scores for the games were kept on hand-painted cards, and prizes were awarded as follows: Miss Eula Smith the first, Miss Gerna Vandervort the second, and Miss Nina Perry the third. After the prizes were awarded refreshments were served at the card tables. There were about thirty guests entertained during the afternoon. The young women were assisted in receiving their friends by their mother, Mrs. H. C. Montague.

Country Club Luncheon.

Mrs. C. H. McKinstry gave a beautiful luncheon at the Country Club yesterday afternoon, when the table was made bright and attractive with scarlet carnations arranged in cut glass vases on mirrors, and places were marked with dainty hand-painted sketches of carnations. Covers were laid for Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard, Mrs. Elizabeth Prewitt, Mrs. V. L. Cottman, Mrs. Willard, Mrs. John E. Plater, Mrs. Emeline Childs, Mrs. Oyra W. Childs, Mrs. Stephen W. Dorsey, Mrs. Jaro Von Schmidt, Mrs. W. E. Dunn and Miss Hortense Childs.

Orpheum Party.

Monday night at the Orpheum, society was not as well represented as usual, but Maj. and Mrs. John H. Norton gave a box party complimentary to Mrs. J. H. Wallace of San Francisco, who is visiting in Los Angeles. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Drake and Gen. M. H. Sherman. After the theater the party were served with supper at Levy's.

Pretty Wedding-to-be.

This evening will be solemnized the nuptials of Miss Eva Linde and J. Howard Thomas, the ceremony to take place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. W. Laing of No. 242 North Hope street, and to be performed by Rev. J. J. Wilkins. The decorations for the affair are particularly pleasing. The couple will stand beneath a Grecian canopy covered with soft white tulle, the pillars of which are to be wound with satin ribbon and finished with great satin bows tied over clusters of white carnations. Directly over the heads of the contracting parties is to be a French basket filled with white carnations and tied with a lover's knot of white tulle. The beautiful snowy Matilija poppies are arranged in profusion about the room and banked over the mantel, together with the graceful fronds of the woodwardia ferns. The hall is to be all in cool green, the woodwardia ferns being used in profusion, and the dining-room will be filled with hundreds of fragrant white sweet peas. There are to be wall vases and hanging baskets and great banks of the dainty blossoms, and in the center of the table there is to be a great basket filled with many sweet peas and tied with loops of soft and filmy illusion which will fall over the basket, veiling the fair and pure contents. The bride, who is a pretty and attractive girl with a host of friends, is to wear a becoming creation of white crepe de chine with garnitures of real lace, and shirred into many puffings, and ruffles in quaint old-style effect. She will carry a shower bouquet of bride roses tied with tulle, and will be attended by Miss Sophie Laing, a dainty blonde with exquisite coloring, gowned in cloudy blue mouseline de sole, and carrying pink roses. The groom is to be attended by Albert Woollacott as best man, and music for the service is to be under the direction of Miss Constance Lister of Alhambra and Paul Keifer. As the couple advances the "Lohengrin Wedding March" will be given, Miss Lister playing the piano and Mr. Keifert the violin. During the ceremony "Call Me Thine Own" is to be rendered. Mr. Thomas, the groom, is a popular young business man of the city. The bride is a particularly attractive girl and has a host of warm and admiring friends. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple will leave for the north, where they will remain for a few weeks, returning to be at home to their friends at No. 242 North Hope street. A reception is being planned to be given for the young people on their return.

Postponed Wedding.

Owing to the illness of C. G. Emery, invitations for the wedding of his daughter, Francena, to C. Mortimer Henderson, are recalled. The ceremony will take place today (Wednesday) at noon, at Buena Park, but there will be only the members of the immediate families present.

Guild Reception.

The parlors of Hotel Albany were the scene yesterday afternoon of an informal tea given by Mrs. Lawrence W. Morgan in honor of the young ladies of the Guild of St. John's Parish.

To Laurel Canyon.

Mrs. William Barnwell and Mrs. Clarence H. Pease chaperoned a jolly party of boys and girls from the seventh grade, Seitous-street school, on Monday. The merry picknickers were taken to Laurel Cañon in the car "400." Later a dainty lunch was spread in the cool shade of the trees. The cañon rang with the class yell. Donald Poole and Frank Miller had charge of the fireworks. Arnold Sparks and Richmond Plant had charge of the decorations.

June Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Bessie Post of this city and Edward S. Ware of Covina will take place tonight at 8:30 at the home of the bride.

Musicale at Womans Club.

Rev. D. W. J. Murphy, rector of the Church of the Holy Sacrament of Hollywood, gave a musicale last evening at the Woman's Club House on South Figueroa street. Patronesses for the affair were well-known society women, and included Mrs. Mary Schallert, Mrs. Philip Forve, Mrs. D. M. Riordan, Mrs. John C. Quinn, Mme. Helena Modjeska, Mrs. Mary A. Coleman, Mrs. Henry O'Melveny, Mrs. Richard Dillon and Mrs. Elise Kerckhoff. Those who contributed to the programme were Mrs. Mary O. Allen, Miss Lilian Scanlon, Miss Margaret Quinn, Miss Heloise Countelanc, Richard Barry, Henry Daly, Frederick Hezmalhalch and Walter J. Goldsmith. After the programme Arend's Orchestra rendered music for the dancing which was enjoyed by the young folks. The rooms were decorated by the women of the parish of Hollywood, and presented a gay aspect, filled with many carnations and roses of all shades and arranged in baskets and vases. Refreshments were served by Miss Nell Riordan, Miss Helen Healy and Miss Mary Thornton, young girls gowned in dainty evening frocks.

Visiting Mrs. McGarvin.

Mrs. Susie H. Middlemas of Alameda and Miss Mary Gregson of San Francisco are the guests of Mrs. D. C. McGarvin. Mrs. Middlemas is visiting here for a few weeks prior to her departure for an extended tour of the Eastern States and the east provinces of Canada.

Matinee Euchre Club.

The Matinée Euchre Club entertained with a box party on Saturday at the Orpheum in honor of Miss Ruth French of Ocean Park, whose marriage to Harry Hough occurs this evening. After the performance a dainty luncheon was served at Christopher's. Those present during the afternoon were Mrs. C. E. Van Loan, Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Misses Ruth French, Jessie Farley, Harriett Crittenden, Byrd McLain, Kitty McCormick, Zaidie Hartwell, Carmaleta Troconiz, Helen Salisbury, Lena Reed, Luella Cook and Stella Donegan.

Surprise Party.

A number of young people gave a pleasant surprise to Miss Fannye Donovan on Saturday evening in honor of her twentieth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games, after which Mr. Hunter and Mr. Salyer gave a number of musical selections and imitations. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were Mrs. Donovan and the Misses Mae Gibson, Gertrude A. Bennett, Shirley Kuhns, Lizzie Donovan, Fannye Donovan, and Messrs. Harry Hartwell, Marcus Scott, Wallace Connor, Robert Kuhns, Hunter, Salyer, Jackson and Donovan.

Invitations Recalled.

Owing to the serious injuries which Charles Goodwin Emory met with on Saturday, the invitations for his daughter's wedding, Frances Emory, to Charles Mortimer Henderson have been recalled. The wedding, which was to have tawen place at noon, will probably not occur until Mr. Emory is out of danger.

Luncheon Party.

Among the largest of the luncheon parties following the Darrach recital of Saturday was that of Mrs. B. A. Benjamin, who had as her guests the "Rosemary Club," Miss McGowan of Pasadena, Misses Eskridge, O'Connor, Forwood and Mr. and Mrs. George A. Dobinson. Among others who stayed to lunch were Mrs. Cornelius Cole, Mrs. Percy Clarke, Mrs. Randall Hutchinson, Mrs. B. R. Baumgardt, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Darrach.

La Paloma Club.

Mrs. J. Pease of No. 2626 Romeo Place was the hostess yesterday afternoon, when the members of La Paloma Club were entertained. The house was decorated artistically: in the hall great clusters of the golden mustard made a bright spot, while in the other rooms the fragrance of many sweet peas was rife. In the dining-room pink sweet peas were used, and vases were arranged on the table filled with the blossoms, and maidenhair ferns. Score cards were Egyptian heads decorated with sweet peas. The first prize fell to Mrs. R. Y. McBride, and was a tiny jeweled fan ornamented with Cupids. Mrs. M. W. Everhardy captured the second, a handsome Japanese vase, and the guest prize fell to Mrs. Lutz. Those present were Mrs. J. H. Seymour, Mrs. M. W. Everhardy, Mrs. H. L. Graham, Mrs. A. W. Fisher, Mrs. O. W. Alderson, Mrs. Walter J. Wren, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. Horace G. Miller, Mrs. Edward Cribb, Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. Randolph Maussard and Mrs. H. R. Nance.

On Saturday next the Paloma Club have planned an Orpheum party, when they will occupy the two lower boxes at the theater, and after the performance be served with refreshments at Christopher's. This is a sort of farewell, since it will be the last meeting of the season.

Marries Boston Girl.

Word comes from Boston announcing the wedding date of a popular young physician of Los Angeles, Dr. William Edward MacCoy, and Miss Susan Stewart Viles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Viles of Boston. The wedding is to take place on Wednesday evening, June 22, and afterward a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, No. 17 Cumberland street, Boston.

For the Oxnards.

Count and Mrs. Jaro von Schmidt of Chester Place are planning a dinner to be given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard on the evening of Friday, June 3.

Informal Tea.

Mrs. Cosmo Morgan, who is always known as a charming little hostess, will give an informal tea this afternoon. She will be assisted in pouring it by a number of women friends.

Luncheon to be.

Mrs. Hancock Banning has invitations out for a luncheon at the Country Club, the affair to take place on Saturday of this week.

Notes and Personals.

Miss Laura G. Mosher will leave for New York on Saturday, June 4. She will be at home to her friends on Thursday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Williams of Ontario are the guests of some of their friends in this city for a short time.

Mrs. Neva Strauss and daughter, Miss Neva Strauss, of Atlanta, Ga., are in Los Angeles for an extended visit.

Raymond Wolfsohn has just returned from a visit in San Francisco, where he has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolfsohn.

PACIFIC STEEL COMPANY

Wall Street Journal Says Company is Negotiating for Extensive Mineral Deposits in Utah.

The Wall Street Journal, in its issue of May 25, contains the following article on the Pacific Steel Company:

"New York interests closely identified with the Pacific Steel Company, a new organization with $100,000,000 capital stock, state that the company will soon acquire extensive holdings in the ore and coal fields of Utah. Negotiations to that end are said to be practically consummated.

"Since the Pacific Steel Company was organized a few months ago there has been much surmise and speculation as to its scope and the principals back of it, but comparatively few facts have been officially given. This was because the company wanted to acquire ample supplies of raw materials so that it would be prepared for operating on a large scale.

"The company has been heretofore credited with acquiring:

"(1.) Coal lands in Alaska, so situated that water transportation could be the medium.

"(2.) Ore lands in Mexico, extensive in area and deposits, and accessible for transportation by water after constructing railway spurs from the fields to the coast.

"(3.) Ore and coal lands in Texas, not readily accessible.

"It is now said that the company will soon acquire title to about forty million tons of iron ore in southern Utah and to valuable coking coal and limestone deposits in the same State. The transfer may have actually been made by this time.

"With the title to Utah ore and coal lands in its possession, the position of the Pacific Steel Company becomes pretty clearly defined. It is, in the first place, to become in several important respects, a rival to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, owned by the Rockefeller-Gould combination. It will seek to divide the western territory with it and is assured the support of the most powerful railroad system in that section.

It is not definitely determined where the company's principal plants are to be located, but it is apparently settled that its chief ore port is to be San Pedro. From the ore fields of Utah the raw material can be quickly and economically carried to San Pedro and from that point cheap water transportation to any part of the world is available. [In the foregoing, where San Pedro is mentioned, the Journal probably meant San Diego.—Ed. Times.]

"For the disposition of its finished products the company will look to the Pacific Slope, the far Southwest and the over-Pacific trade with China, Japan, Korea, the Philippines and Australia. The iron and steel trade with these alone is far in excess of the capacity of the proposed plants.

"In the matter of location those financially interested in the company say that this alone will give them an advantage in freight rates which cannot be overcome by eastern competitors.

"The Pacific Steel Company is eventually to have the active cooperation of at least three of the leading steel masters of the United States. Officially this statement will not yet be confirmed. It will come authoritatively later."

The San Diego Union, in yesterday's issue, referring to the above article, which it reprints in full, says:

"C. W. French last night confirmed the statement printed in the Wall Street Journal that the Pacific Steel Company is negotiating for extensive ore fields in southern Utah and for valuable coking coal and limestone deposits in the same State. Mr. French says that the deal has not been completed, but that it is in a fair way of being so in the near future. Individuals have acquired the property and negotiations for transferring it to the company are well under way.

"The article it will be noticed, states that San Pedro will be the principal port. Mr. French says that this is not true. He said that while San Pedro was thought of at one time as the proper port, it has been given up in favor of San Diego, and that if the steel plant is built, San Diego will certainly be the principal port. Later, he said, mills will probably be established at San Francisco and on the Sound."

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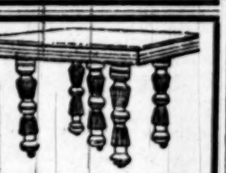
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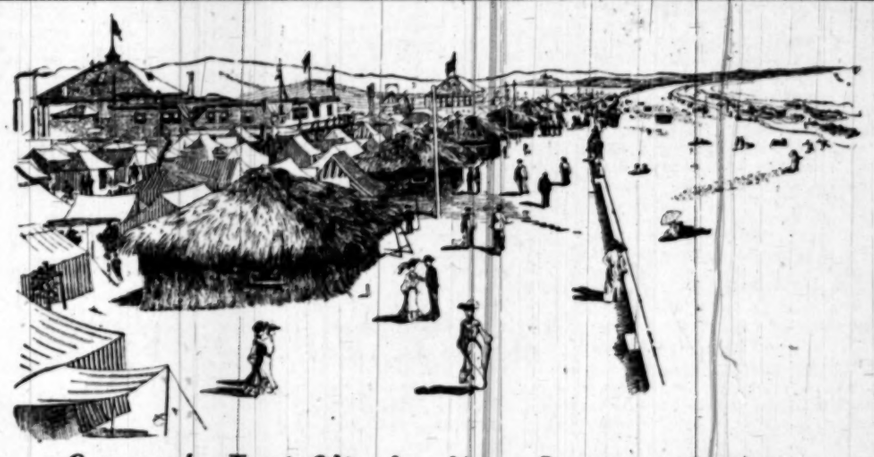
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BUSINESS.

A fair degree of strength was shown in the Chicago wheat pit yesterday, sales being made at 85⅝ for July at the close. Corn was much stronger than usual. Meager dealings and halting narrow fluctuations marked the New York 'Change operations in stocks. The money market was easy.

THE PRESIDENT'S STRENGTH.

Whatever may be the action taken at the Democratic National Convention—whether the "reorganizers" or the radicals prevail—Theodore Roosevelt will be certain to draw many votes from that party, and from all parties, at the coming national election. If, as now appears probable, the conservative elements succeed in controlling the convention and placing in nomination Judge Parker, or some equally conservative candidate, there will, of course, be a great deal of dissatisfaction among the radicals, who still cling to the theories and traditions of Bryanism. It seems hardly probable at this writing that Bryan and his following would bolt the convention (it would be a good thing for the Democratic party if they did,) but much ill feeling would be engendered, which could not fail to make itself manifest at the polls. Many of the disgruntled ones would vote for Roosevelt out of pique, many others because they have a sincere admiration for the man, and others still because, from their point of view, he would be the lesser of two evils.

But if the radical wing of the Democratic party should succeed in organizing the convention and placing in nomination a man of the Bryan type, it would be altogether too much to expect the conservatives of the party to support the nominee. They would refuse to do so as emphatically as they refused to support Mr. Bryan's candidacy in 1896 and in 1900. Perhaps the Palmer-Buckner episode would not be repeated, but whether the conservatives should nominate a ticket or not, large numbers of them would certainly go to the polls and vote for Roosevelt, as many of them voted for McKinley in 1896 and 1900. They would so vote because they know that his administration would be safe; because they know that its continuance means prosperity for the nation; because they have confidence in his integrity as a man; and because they would desire in 1904, as in the two national campaigns preceding, to demonstrate to the extremists who are masquerading under the name of Democracy that they, the said extremists, are not the arbiters of the party's destiny.

But, quite aside from any political exigency, or any considerations of mere expediency, or any motives of political disappointment, Theodore Roosevelt will draw heavily on all parties when the time for the casting of the ballots arrives. Mr. Roosevelt's candidacy will appeal strongly to the voters of all parties. Many of his most ardent admirers are to be found in the ranks of his political opponents. He is strong in the East and in the West. He is strong in the North, and he would be strong in the South if a free and honest expression of preference were possible in that section. While he will be the candidate of the Republican party in a specific and restricted sense, he will be the candidate of the people in a broader and truer sense, for he will poll a large independent vote, solely on his own individual merits, and quite irrespective of political considerations.

What is the secret of the strong hold which the President unquestionably has on the hearts of his countrymen? Without a doubt it is his honest, straightforward, manly sincerity. This is the one trait in Mr. Roosevelt's character which stands out more conspicuously than all others. Because of it they people love him. Because of it they trust in him and believe in him. Because of it they "know where to find him" on all important questions. Because of it they feel that the administration of the nation's affairs is safe in his hands. And because of it the people will elect him, next November, to the highest office within their gift.

The President takes the people into his confidence. He does not say one thing when he means another. He fights in the open. He is a hard fighter, whether it be in the battles of war or in the battles of peace. But it is known of all men that whatsoever he fights for he believes in with all his heart. His political life, like his private life, is as an open book. He has nothing in either to conceal, nothing to apologize for. His absolute integrity is not merely believed in by his fellow-men; it is known, and his bitterest opponents have not the hardihood to question it. For these admirable qualities the people love and trust him, though not all agree with him. Herein is his tower of strength, both as a candidate and as a man.

UNREASONABLE DEMANDS.

One of the numerous reasons for the disastrous failure of labor strikes is the fact that in at least nine cases out of ten the demands made by the strikers are so unreasonable that employers cannot grant them without losing their self-respect, or suffering serious business losses, or inflicting gross injustice upon persons not directly concerned in the controversy. Strikes are precipitated upon all sorts of pretexts, often upon those of the most frivolous character, and with little regard for right and justice. It is partly because of this wanton disregard for the simplest considerations of right and wrong that strikers so often fail to secure public sympathy and support, which usually means failure for the strike. If more care were exercised in ordering strikes—if the unions would make sure that they had right on their side before taking such action—there would be an enormous decrease in the number of strikes and vastly better chances for strikes to succeed after the gage of battle had been thrown down.

There are some strikes in which the cause of the strikers is just. In such cases, if the strikers would conduct themselves in an orderly and dignified manner, avoiding all excesses and relying upon the moral effect of public sympathy, they would generally find that this reliance would not be in vain. But they could better afford to lose occasionally in a just cause than to win in an unjust cause. The effects of continued injustice are cumulative and will surely react, sooner or later, against those who seek to profit by such means.

Freight handlers in New York recently ordered a strike because of the refusal of their employers to discharge an employé who had served them faithfully for upward of twenty years. The strike was extended until some thousands of men went into idleness because of the reasonable refusal to accede to this unreasonable demand. "The moral insensibility disclosed in that excuse for a strike is apparent," as the New York Tribune pointedly observes, adding: "It doomed the organization in advance to general condemnation. The action of the leaders would have been ill-timed, and consequently discreditable, even if their rejected demand had been fit to be made. Its utter impropriety convicts them of something worse than an error of judgment."

Thus it is with a large proportion of the strikes declared by labor unions or their leaders. They are founded upon unreason and injustice, and therefore they deserve to fail, as the great majority of them do.

The demand for the closed shop, which is the present chief contention of union labor, is one of the most unreasonable of the many preposterous demands of labor organizations. It can never be granted, except in a few isolated cases; for if employers generally were to accede to the contention for the closed shop their action would be tantamount to placing the control of their business in the hands of union labor and abrogating their rights, as men and citizens, to direct the enterprises in which their capital is invested.

If the time shall ever come when unions are satisfied to limit their demands to those which are sane and reasonable, they will have some prospect of winning public respect and approval. At present there is not much indication of such a consummation.

The advantages of proper and efficient organization are well illustrated in the excellent war-news service of the Associated Press. This organization of many newspapers is able to secure and give details which no single newspaper could give. Owing to the influence and reliability of the Associated Press the news sources in the Far East are available to it to a degree that is impossible for other correspondents. The splendid use which the Associated Press has made of its opportunities is apparent when it is remembered that during the period of diplomatic negotiations, the correspondents of the Associated Press told the only reliable news that got into print. When the first hostilities occurred at Port Arthur and Chemulpo, the representatives of the Associated Press were first with intelligent stories of what had happened. Both at St. Petersburg and Tokio the great American news agency seems to have access to the official reports of the naval and military commanders. All the important developments of the war have been first told briefly and often graphically by Associated Press corrspondents. The first description from an eye witness of the spectacular sinking of the Petropaviovsk was a case in point. The achievements of the Associated Press in getting early, complete and reliable Far East war news are specially noteworthy in view of the strenuous competition among correspondents at the scene of action, and the difficulties which attend the securing and distributing of war news.

The contract for the city printing first awarded by the City Council to The Times, under competition, was disapproved (though not vetoed) by the Mayor. At yesterday's session of the Council, after further consideration by that body, its original action was reaffirmed. A substitute contract was authorized, drawn up, and approved by a two-thirds vote, then signed and executed on behalf of The Times-Mirror Company, and the requisite bond furnished. A single formality remains to be observed by City Clerk Lelande, who was authorized by vote of the Council to approve the contract in lieu of the Mayor. When that is done today, the contract will be a complete legal instrument, and by its terms it becomes effective June 8.

Gov. Bailey of Kansas has played a mean trick on William Allen White, editor of the Emporia Gazette. White has been demanding that the Governor appoint a State accountant, for which purpose an appropriation of $2000 a year had been made. Finding the Governor deaf to his demands, the editor offered to take the job himself without salary. Then somebody told him the Governor had accepted his offer, and he went up to Topeka, but on the day of his arrival the Governor appointed another person to the office, including the salary. And it wasn't the first of April, either. But it just goes to show how blind some Governors are to real merit.

The esteemed Oakland Tribune should remember that Missouri was in a class by herself. Real Southern States were represented in the Confederate Congress by the official and authoritative acts of their State governments. Missouri officially repudiated the Southern Confederacy and gave more soldiers to the Federal armies than it did to the South. The admission of Representatives from Missouri to the Confederate Congress was purely and wholly an act of courtesy to Missouri Confederates—not to Missouri as a State, which had declared its allegiance to the government of the United States.

The Musical Union Protective Association of New York City has decreed that no more scores will be played that are not accompanied by the union label. Why not set the union label to music and play that alone? Or, better still, why not refuse admission to musical performances to all persons who have not the union label pasted on their hats? Faugh!

Heroes who expect to make application for a slice of the Carnegie fund will probably find their aspirations attacked by walking delegates unless they can show that they have never worked at the hero business more than eight hours a day.

Secretary Hay thinks the newspapers can prevent war. They are certainly influential in starting a fight, but it may be doubted whether the influence would carry to an inverse ratio. Men will fight, at times, despite all good influences.

Strange that a great many good people who at one time in the past did not think much of Mr. Cleveland as a President, are now beginning to think he was a pretty good one, after all.

These blowings up of fireworks factories may save many fatalities and casualties on the Fourth. But why should either be necessary? Can we not have a saner form of celebration?

A well-dressed stranger was arrested in Pittsburgh because he wore too many diamonds. It now becomes a serious and an important question how many are too many?

If there isn't a break in the ranks at Springfield pretty soon, the strain will probably "break" some of the candidates who are maintaining expensive headquarters.

Because President Roosevelt has decided to spend the summer at Oyster Bay is no reason to presume he will be dumb during the Presidential campaign.

A rich widow in New York is going to marry a motorman—which only shows how shockingly successful and electrifying powerful sparking can be made.

The acquittal of Tyner and Barrett must be accepted as a determination of the fact that there must have been more smoke than fire.

Bryan accuses Cleveland of wanting the nomination. But the Nebraskan is hardly qualified to throw any stones of this kind.

How have the mighty fallen! Tom Johnson goes to the National Democratic Convention as the tail to John R. McLean's kite.

The Illinois gubernatorial candidates appear to have used their vacation solely in preparing to fight harder than ever.

SOCIETY ALL THERE.

St. Louis Women Insisted that Hundred Was Too Few to Lunch With Miss Roosevelt.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—The social event of today on the World's Fair grounds was the luncheon tendered Miss Alice Roosevelt by the Board of Lady Managers. It was held in the Woman's Building. It was the first intention of the board to limit the invitations to 100, but the pressure brought by St. Louis society women who wished to meet Miss Roosevelt was so great that the list was extended to 150, and when Miss Roosevelt took her place at the center of the table and official members of the party swelled the number about the board to nearly two hundred.

When Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese Minister, arrived on the grounds today, he was greeted by President Francis, who extended a cordial welcome in the Minister's representative

He Has Decided to Plug the Barrel.

TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

When people touched live wires and keeled over dead, the doctors used to call it "heart failure" until a brilliant young electrician astonished the world by the discovery that electricity itself killed.

Harold P. Brown was his name; he is in Los Angeles now, an engineer of international reputation, inspecting our electric roads which, he says, are the finest he has ever seen.

Not quite so young as he was when he was called "charlatan" and "faker" and became target for abuse and slander and hard words from the owners of the terrible wires that were imperiling lives, nor so young as when he devised the electrical chair for the public executions in New York, the first ever used, nor so young as when he dared the head of a great electrical house to what the wildly excited New York papers called the "electrical duel," He is a young man still and a charming and polished gentleman.

He does not like to be connected with the fame of the "chair" as criminals call it.

"Truly," he said, "I never saw an execution in my life. I wouldn't see one for any amount of money.

"My connection with the electric chair—but—"

He looked around deprecatingly fearing to monopolize the conversation. In the innocence of his heart he seemed not to notice that if any one of the three or four other gentlemen in the room ventured to put in a word, he was glared at and mentally voted a lobster, because it was the slight man in the corner who we wanted to talk and talk and keep on talking.

"I am afraid it is such a long story," he said doubtfully.

"Well, then, it was in 1888. People kept mysteriously dying on the streets with startling suddenness. The doctors always said it was heart failure. You remember then how they used to string wires, any old criss-cross way, zigzagging around; the only insulators were what we called 'underwriters' which wore out and left the wires exposed.

"The electrical companies hooted at the idea that electricity could kill anything and I was employed to make experiments. I went to Mr. Edison and asked him if I might use his laboratory. He was much interested and gave me every facility.

"We tried it on dogs and cattle and rabbits—everything, until I was ready to report."

Mr. Brown smiled slightly as he said, "I tell you a storm of abuse burst over my head. I was called some things that were pretty hard to bear. They said my motives were not pure; that I was "bought up;" that I was a faker and various other unpleasant things. I was offered bribes and insulted and vilified.

"At last, however, I was asked to deliver a lecture at Columbia College with experiments. The electrical companies tried to get the law to interfere on the ground that I was not a doctor and was not licensed to perform vivisection experiments.

"When it was seen that I was right, one rich manufacturer came to me and tried to make me say that his particular brand of current would not kill. I replied that his was one of the most deadly. He denounced me in the papers. I wanted to reply but they said, 'Why, Mr. Brown, this is a paid notice.'

"So I bought space for a short reply to him. I suggested that he and I take currents of different kinds—he of his brand he said was not harmful and could not kill, and I to take another kind. I said we should first take fifty volts each and then increase it in steady gradations and see which——"

The air was growing tense in that room. Mr. Brown turned the crises off coldly. "Well, to see which should give up first."

"Give up first"—certainly a delicate way of putting it.

"That same man when the electrical chair——"

But he left the man hanging there like a villain foiled, for a minute, while he went back a little.

"Then the electrical chair came in. It was suggested by David B. Hill, who was then Governor of the State of New York.

"Gov. Hill had seen, a short time before, a hanging which was a peculiarly horrible affair. It——" he hesitated and quietly added, "it was not a successful execution.

"Hearing of these experiments, Gov. Hill asked me if it would not be practical to use electricity in executions. I thought it would. He asked me to devise a chair. I declined. I said that I would not go that far with it. But finally, in the end, I did as he asked.

"And"—he smiled grimly—"I selected as the current the one that the rich old manufacturer claimed would not kill.

"And that," he said winningly, "is the story of the electric chair."

But a reporter, like a woman, must have one word more. Here was a chance to settle a controversy that has echoed through papers and medical magazines. "Do you believe the current causes instantaneous death?"

[Many physicians claim that such a thing as instantaneous death never has happened in the history of the world.]

"I don't know. I wouldn't like to go into it as deeply as that with an opinion. I can say this: it causes an absolutely instantaneous cessation of pain and sensation.

"This is not a theory with me. I once was convinced with peculiar force. I was thrown by an electric shock into the midst of some moving machinery. A big belt tore and burned the flesh of my right arm down until the bone lay exposed. I did not feel the slightest sensation of pain. This is, to my mind, enough proof that the man in the chair has no sensations after the shock first strikes him."

The talk gradually drifted around to the improvements by which electricity has been made safe to the public; thence to electric railways and the great problem of transportation and how far the trolley will go into the great story of American traffic.

"I have been looking over your high-speed trolley lines running out of Los Angeles, to Santa Monica, Monrovia, Pasadena, Redondo and other places."

He shook his head by way of emphasis. "I must say that they are the best I have seen yet. Top notch."

He was asked if the transcontinental trolley is one of the sights to be seen in the future.

"I don't see that there is any limit to it, but I could not predict. It is not a question of electricity. It is one of economics. It relates so much to water for the power. It would be a question of the expense.

"I will say, however, that I believe electricity is more adapted to the hauling of heavy freight than steam. The hill work, particularly, could be more advantageously done with heavy trains, electrically run, than with the present steam engines. I understand many steam roads are already planning to equip mountain divisions with electricity."

SINGLE SHOTS.

In spite of the merger of the Presbyterian Churches, salvation is still free.

"Don't be a snob," says President Roosevelt. Just be yourself and make yourself the greatest and best, if you can.

Maybe Melville E. Stone would have gotten away from St. Louis in better shape if he had not talked shop and let so many newspaper cats out of the bag.

It should be understood that newspaper references to "the aerial contests at St. Louis" do not necessarily mean the Democratic National Convention.

In New York recently serious results have attended the stoning of automobiles by city roughs and toughs. And yet New York pretends to be a cultured city.

Honolulu saved the Chicago platform at Kansas City by the vote of Prince David. Maybe the Sultan of Sulu is being relied upon to save the Kansas City platform at St. Louis.

At the present writing no Gorman delegates have been elected, but that's no sign that Gorman will not be nominated. Bryan had no delegates when the Chicago convention met.

The Kansas City Times has a heavy editorial on "Need of the National Democracy," winding up with the declaration that the prime necessity is "great men who are not afraid of living issues."

It was once said of a great State that all it needed was "water and good society." Perhaps it is votes and public confidence that are the primest Democratic necessity this year, as in other pears.

A little yellow dog blocked the elevated railroad in New York City for an hour, the other day, eluding all efforts to dislodge him. It just shows what even a little yellow streak can do in a great city at times.

The Boers are ungrateful creatures. Web Davis has a bill against them for $1,500,000, and he can't collect it. Without Web they might still be roaming the shimmering veldt instead of doing stunts at the World's Fair.

Eastern newspapers are printing serious and evidently learned editorials on "the end seat" and "the end seat hog." Why do they not come to Los Angeles, where all the seats are end seats, and consequently there are no hogs?

Friends of Miss Alice Roosevelt and Miss Helen Gould are troubling themselves because these young ladies were stared at and jostled by rude persons at the World's Fair. They should remember, however, that the stare and jostle were complimentary, since distinguished personages are assuredly a part of the exhibits at a World's Fair.

OF BALLOTS WERE MANY.

Engineers Elect Two More Assistant Chiefs.

Combination Broken and Surprises Follow.

Another Struggle Scheduled for This Morning.

After a stubborn fight, the last ballot of yesterday's convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, taken just before adjournment, elected E. W. Hurley of Boston, division 439, second assistant grand chief.

M. Cadle who held long lead on Monday for the position of first assistant grand chief, won at the morning session after the slips had been collected many times. It was thought that the fight would probably end here and that the next assistants would come easy but the campaign thickens, and it now looks as if the convention will not be able to complete its labors before Tuesday next.

In the deciding ballot of the morning Cadle received 324, Shay 190, Hurley 62, Bickford 19 and Robe 12, necessary for a choice, 302. From this it seemed that Matt Shay was scheduled for the next place, but the surprise came in Hurley who ran far ahead of his ticket in the final accounting. There is one more assistant grand chief to be chosen, and as the campaign has become rather mixed there is no use of attempting to forecast today's election. Hurley is chairman of the board of adjustment of the New York and New England Railway, and is a man well versed in the affairs of the brotherhood.

Convention rules were suspended yesterday morning to allow Francis Murphy, the temperance orator, to address the brotherhood. Third Grand Engineer Delos Everett and Francis Murphy are old friends and have spoken from the same platform for temperance on another occasion. High praise was tendered the engineers by Murphy in his remarks as he told of the great work accomplished by the organization for temperance and sobriety. "It stands for temperance in all things," he said, "And the hand at the throttle of the monster mogul, that machine which appears a thing of life, is steady in sobriety and sworn to fidelity in its protection of the lives of the hundreds of passengers who ride behind." His address was enthusiastically received and the incident was a most pleasant deviation from the routine work of the convention.

FOR ENGINEER'S DAUGHTER.

Turner Hall was well filled last night with locomotive engineers and their friends who had gathered in compliment to Miss Clara B. Lumsden, who is the ambitious daughter of an engineer who is incapacitated for work and unable to lend financial assistance to her endeavor to make a success of a musical career. The concert was a benefit for Miss Lumsden and a treat for all who attended it.

The programm was as follows: "Song of the Bee" (Masse,) Miss Clara B. Lumsden; violin solo, Desiree Coutolenc; "Happy Days" (Sprelezki,) Miss Grace Norton; character sketch, Myrtle and Stella Gonzalez; piano solo, Fordyce Hunter; melody, Stella Gonzalez; reading, Miss Isabell Moore; song, Georgie Gonzales (aged 4 years;) "Oh! Promise Me," Miss Clara B. Lumsden.

RESOUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

The folowing resolutions presented by a committee consisting of Myer Hurley, D. H. Ledger and J. J. Norten were adopted at the morning session:

Whereas, it pleased the Almighty God to terminate the life of Brother First Grand Engineer Titus S. Ingraham, on the morning of May 25, 1904, in the presence of six hundred of his Brother Engineers, over whom he was presiding at the moment he was stricken by the hand of death, and, whereas, Brother Ingraham had a record of exemplary fidelity and honor, and during his active official life, covering a period of thirty-two years, won and maintained, by his rectitude and ability, the highest esteem of the members of the Brotherhood, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the delegates to the Sixth Biennial Session of the Grand International Division, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, consider the virtuous life and character of our Brother Ingraham a noble example for us all, and that we regard his unselfish devotion to duty, and his constant willingness and effort to help others, as being in the highest degree, worthy of our emulation, and be it

Resolved, That such a character, united with rare executive ability, made him to us a valuable officer, a trusted leader, wise counsellor and beloved Brother, whose sudden passing from time to eternity, overwhelms us with grief and sorrow; therefore, be it further

Resolved, That to his son and daughters, and through them to the other members of his family, we express our deepest sympathy in their distressing loss, hoping that they, as well as ourselves, may find consolation in the remembrance of his grand and noble life.

A Crate Full of Cats.

If some cats which have been household pets in the vicinity of the Midland hotel are missing today, there is at least a strong possibility that they might be found in the shipment which was sent last night to Frank Rockefeller's ranch out in Kiowa county, Kan. The millionaire ranchman is not starting a charitable institution for aged felines. He wants the cats to kill gophers, which are becoming too numerous on his ranch, and which a cat is said to prefer to rats or mice.

There were twelve of them in the shipment which was sent out last night. They were in a strong crate, with screening across the front. But they were not all in one bunch. If they had been there would probably be as many dead cats as live ones by the time the crate reached its destination. The crate was divided into compartments, with two cats in each, and only those who were known to be on friendly terms put in together.

John Lunberg, a porter at the hotel, took the contract for shipping the cats, and paid the negro employés so much a head for the felines. They were all able-bodied and tolerable prosperous looking, and ranged from a litter of half-grown Maltese kittens to a big, yellow striped veteran, who had evidently been the hero of many battles, and who should make things lively for the rodents when he reaches Kiowa county.—[Kansas City Journal.

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Hearing of Extortion Case is Postponed.

Defendant Said to be Too Ill to Appear.

Dr. Whitford Grumbles and Orders a Hack.

It was predicted in The Times yesterday morning, the defendant in the now notorious case of the State against Bessie Driscoll, charged with extortion, failed to put in an appearance at Justice Austin's court when the case was called at 10 o'clock, and a postponement was granted until the same hour on Saturday next.

A physician's certificate, signed by Dr. H. Borden Bayless, setting forth that the defendant's physical condition was such that she would not be well enough to appear in court for at least three or four days, was presented to the court by Lecompte Davis, her attorney, and a continuance requested. Dist.-Atty. Fredericks entered a protest, which was somewhat lacking in vigor, stating that he had his principal witness, meaning Dr. Whitford, here from Montana, and hoped matters might proceed with dispatch, for the reason that urgent business affairs required the doctor's presence at home. He suggested that some physician familiar to himself and the court be appointed to examine into the defendant's condition, but upon inquiry being satisfied that Dr. Bayless was a reputable practitioner, agreed to the delay.

The District Attorney subsequently stated to a Times reporter that he was not particularly persistent that the examination should proceed at once, because Dr. Whitford was not in the best of health; in fact admitted the truth of a rumor that the Butte millionaire had all but fainted during their journey from the Courthouse to the Police Court room.

A SURMISE.

These facts immediately led to the surmise among some of those interested in the case that it would never come to trial, and there were hints that an agreement of some kind might be reached that would terminate the matter in this State. The report, however, was vigorously denied by Mr. Fredericks, who said that he intended pushing the matter arduously and that so far as he was concerned he was outside the circle of any conference movement trending in that direction.

When Dr. Whitford, who was seated in the rear of the courtroom, was informed by the District Attorney of the postponement he ejaculated: "Good gracious! That won't give me sufficient time to get to Butte and back, will it? That may mean thousands of dollars to me. Well, I shall have to send Coleman."

Then, turning to his attorney, he exclaimed:

"Get me a hack. That's farther than I have walked in twenty years."

While the doctor was in the room he was asked about the Broadwater family in Butte, with whom the defendant is said to have informed Attorney Wideman she was connected. The doctor said he knew the family of which Col. Broadwater, who is now dead, was the head, but that their home is in Helena, not Butte. The family is prominent and well known to him, and he knew the defendant was not in any way related to them.

MISS MAY THERE.

The next most important witness present was Miss May Driscoll, the alleged sister, who is looked upon by the Montana contingent as the arch conspirator in what they claim is a blackmailing scheme. She entered the room unattended and took a seat near a table just in front of the judge's bench. She carefully scrutinized those within the railing and when her eyes rested on the reporters with whom she has become familiar recently her eyes mirrored very plainly her scorn and anger.

Dr. Whitford was asked by a reporter if he had ever seen the witness before.

"That," he snarled, pointing at the woman. "Yes, I did. She came to my office in Butte three times while I was treating the other one in Butte. Do I believe she is a sister to Bessie? No, I don't."

The doctor's entrance and departure from the station where court was held was somewhat amusing. He was under the guidance of his wily attorney, Mr. Coleman, and leaning upon the latter's arm. Several reporters were standing upon the sidewalk in front of the building and as the pair passed, acting evidently under instructions, and at a given signal from Mr. Coleman, the doctor removed his slouch hat and covered his face so that a photograph would be impossible. Similar tactics were employed when the party entered the carriage which carried them away.

Later in the day Mr. Coleman stated that it had been decided that neither of them would go to Butte until after the examination on Saturday, much as both should like to go. He said that Dr. Whitford would probably spend the interval in retirement with some friends who are living in the suburbs, and that he would remain in the city with the hope of finding some enjoyment out of the neighboring points of interest.

BABY A MYTH.

All those who are interested in the prosecution unhesitatingly give expression of the belief that the mysterious baby is a myth and nothing more. Detectives, who have been in the employ of Dr. Whitford have exhausted their efforts in pursuit of the phantom and claim to be satisfied that the story of its existence is a pure fabrication. One of them stated yesterday that the defendant had even told the name and address of a New York physician who was supposed to have been in attendance at the time the baby was born, but that upon investigation it was proven false. If Miss Driscoll does produce a child at any time during the proceedings it will undoubtedly be the sensational feature of the trial.

J. Wiseman MacDonald, the attorney whom Miss Driscoll first employed, but who has since withdrawn from the case, gave out a statement yesterday relating to his connection with it. He was fearful that since the alleged proposal of the young woman to Attorney Wideman had been made public, his position might be criticised or that Miss Driscoll's interests might be injured, so he said.

MACDONALD'S STATEMENT.

When Miss Driscoll came to me with the story of her wrongs, as I have previously stated them, I was affected by it. She seemed apparently without friends and I judged at the time that she had little money. I think her object in coming to me was because we are both of the same religious faith and she probably had more confidence in me for that reason. There was nothing said about a fee at the time and as a matter of fact I did not expect one. Neither was the subject of a contingent fee discussed. I entered into correspondence with the doctor, and subsequently letters passed between Mr. Coleman and myself. I found that it would be necessary to bring the action against Dr. Whitford in Butte and placed the matter in the hands of a legal firm in that city. When it was decided that Bessie must go there she voluntarily broached the subject of a fee and asked how much she owed me. I told her that under the circumstances it would only be $100. That was on May 21st, and she handed me $50 saying she would pay the remainder later. That is all I have ever received. I must reiterate my statement that my sole reason for withdrawing from the case, was because I never handle criminal cases and believed that the firm which now represents her, Davis, Rush & Willis, could do her greater justice.

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CREDIT DUE A WOMAN.

She Discovered the Process of Condensing Milk, but She Died Poor.

[Louisville Herald. "How and when was condensed milk discovered?" said D. M. Miedell. "Well, that is an easy question, known to all venders of the article.

"It chanced that in 1854 the journey from New Orleans to New York was a considerable trip. A certain lady—Mrs. Albert Cashingor—wished to make the journey.

"Mrs. Cashingor's baby was so ill that she realized that it would be necessary to make a trip to New York to receive expert medical attention if she hoped to save the child's life. But to travel that long distance the child had to have milk. Milk wouldn't keep fresh more than a few hours. So there she was, kept back from making the trip merely because she could not supply the child with fresh milk.

"In her despair she began to experiment to see if she could not preserve milk the same as she did jelly or anything else. She hit upon a plan which seemed to give satisfaction. So she preserved several big jars of the stuff, put it upon a sailing vessel and made the trip. The child fed upon the milk and was nourished.

"In New York several men heard of her new discovery. They tried to make some of the condensed milk in the manner that she had told them, but failed. They followed her to New Orleans and there she unwittingly unfolded her valuable secret. On the island of Galveston these men started a small factory and there the first salable condensed milk was made.

"The woman died poor. The manufacturers made a fortune. Now condensed milk is sold in every part of the world."

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RUMFORD "THE WHOLESOME" Baking Powder

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J. W. ROBINSON CO.

BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE

239 South Broadway. Opposite City Hall, Los Angeles.

Knit Underwear Sale.

No doubt many of you are anxiously waiting for this announcement. We referred to it in Sunday's and yesterday's papers. The principal feature of it is told in these few words:

Imported Silk Vests

Half Price.

We secured a large assortment of these superior garments. It is an importer's surplus stock, and consists of ladies' silk vests, both with high neck and long sleeves, and with low neck and no sleeves, in shades of pink, blue, cream, white, lavender and black.

This is without question as fine a line of knit underwear as we have ever been able to offer at such reductions. We will place the entire line on sale

Tomorrow Morning

at the following prices, and feel sure you will all appreciate this opportunity.

$1.25 high neck, long sleeve Vests, ...at 65c.
$1.50 high neck, long sleeve Vests, ...at 75c.
$2.50 high neck, long sleeve Vests, ..at $1.25.
$1.00 low neck, no sleeves, Vests, ...at 50c.
$1.50 low neck, no sleeves, Vests, ...at 75c.
$3.50 Pure China Silk Vest, ...at $2.00.

Great Silk Sale Today

Today we will sell a large line of silks at 95c the yard, that regularly sell as high as $2.50 the yard. These silks are all excellent values, and not a yard is worth less than $1.25. Choose today 95c the yard.

SPECIAL SALE OF GLOVES FRIDAY

We will print full particulars of this sale in Thursday's papers.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Los Angeles agency for "Fasso" and "Redfern" corsets and "Equipoise" waists.

Mohair and silk suits third under price

'Tisn't often that trade conditions in the East force reductions of a third on *seasonable* garments, but here's one such case.

At $25

Instead of $35 and $40:—

Stylish new suits of plain and figured mohairs, in gray, black or blue. Jaunty Etons and fancy tailored coats—the ideal suits for traveling. $25. You'd willingly pay $35 or $40 if we asked it.

At $10

Instead of $17.50:—

Decidedly handsome shirt waist suits of figured Foulard silks in blues, browns and grays—ridiculously cheap at $10.00.

All our wool suits radically reduced.

Automobile coats and Raglans

This collection includes every late style. Those with large fancy collars and drop shoulders have the preference. Here in both the fitted and loose back style. Colors—blues, tans, grays and black. $10.00 to $22.50.

New $1.50 wash dress stuffs at fifty cents a yard. No, there's no exaggeration about it—one glance at today's window display will satisfy you on that point.

They are 45-inch embroidered Swisses, the real imported article, in exquisitely beautiful patterns; white or colored grounds. Haven't the faintest hopes of being able to get more to sell at this price.

25c wash stuffs 20c

Fabrics particularly desirable for beach and mountain wear—
Poplin Suitings.
Kimberly Nibs.
Home-puns.
Warren Suitings.
London Flake.
Belfast Repps.
Voile Melange.
Ottoman Fantasie.
It's only by buying enormous quantities direct from the mills that we can sell them at 20c a yd.

35 cent "Eddy silk" 20c

"What is Eddy silk?" you ask.

Finest Sea Island cotton, highly mercerized.

Grounds in green, navy and black with pretty white figures, dots and stripes—particularly desirable for shirt waist suits.

32 inches wide.

Table linens 1/4 off

Remnant lengths—two, 3 and 4-yard pieces—but just as valuable to you as though cut from full bolts.

$4 damasks $3 a yard.
$3.50 damasks $2.85 yard.
$2 damasks $1.50 yard.
$1.50 damasks $1.10 yard.
The dollar grades at 75c a yard.

All the single dozens and half dozens of napkins at a full 25 per cent. under regular prices.

LINEN MESH AND "MERODE" UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN.

Coulter Dry Goods Co. 317 to 325 South Broadway

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An important display of new productions suitable for

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Plates
Porcelains
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Lamps
Silverware

Our prices will please you as well as the goods.

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Mocha and Java 40c.

Good because it's the purest, choicest berries. Good because it's handled in the right way, blended just right and always fresh roasted. Makes a cup of coffee that satisfies every man thoroughly.

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DONNELL'S BAKING POWDER

Free from every injurious chemical. A pure Phosphate Baking Powder that makes most delicious hot breads and pastry.

$5 Off

On Nearly 100 Suit Patterns.

$27.50 Suits now $22.50
$30.00 Suits now $25.00
$35.00 Suits now $30.00
$40.00 Suits now $35.00

I think that this is the best opportunity ever offered to the men of this city.

These suit patterns are all fine woolens in the most carefully selected designs.

There's hardly a pattern idea that you may have in mind that will not be found among them.

They'll be made into suits at *FIVE DOLLARS LESS* than the usual prices because I've made up my mind to sell them before the last of June.

The standard of Gordan Good Tailoring remains the very highest, even though I've reduced the price on these particular goods.

You can rely on receiving the kind of clothes that have builded a reputation for *GORDAN GOOD CLOTHES* that I'm really mighty proud of.

If you want a suit now—or if you'll need a suit within the next two months—this sale is your chance, and these suit patterns offer the fabrics that you'll surely favor.

There's nearly a hundred to pick from now—there'll not be so many in a few days. Better "get busy" and come in today.

B. GORDAN,

Draper and Tailor,

104 South Spring St.

CHRISTY TIES

Nothing sweller shown in street slippers for women.

Popular in the East,—they'll be as popular here.

Made of patent leather with hand-welted soles, Cuban heels and ribbon bow.

A certain air and style to them that please every woman. Price $5.00.

We are also showing Christy Ties in tan Russia calf that are exceedingly swell. Price also $5.00.

C. M. STAUB SHOE CO.

255 South Broadway.

Women's Tans

$3.50

Russia Calf, welted soles, Po Ta To toe, (newest New York shape) AAA to E.

Come to us, we can fit and please you.

BURNS

240 So. Spring St.

Like Blackberries?

Try ours and get satisfaction. Sweetest the market affords; very highly flavored; have a small, tender core. Surprisingly low just now.

Phones 550. LUDWIG & MATTHEWS. Mott Market.

Swings

Not the kinds we all delighted in as children, but nevertheless enjoyable. Imagine a well-constructed settee without legs, but with arms and back supported by heavy iron chains from the ceiling of a porch, a den, the limb of a tree, or a trestle built in the shade of an awning. These swings come in natural ash, the popular forest green and weathered oak finish. They are known as Arts and Crafts or Old Mission. Some of them are of old hickory with forest green frames. Still others are made of rattan.

Our assortment is large and complete. We are selling a great many swings because they are popular.

Throw a few cushions into one of these wide, commodious swinging seats and you have an ideal place in which to read a magazine.

A new carload of iron beds just received. Exclusive patterns which cannot be found elsewhere, enameled in white and dainty colors.

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AUTOMOBILE GLOVES FOR MEN AND WOMEN—best in the world. $1.50

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

FOUND LYING BY ROADSIDE.

SCHOOL GIRL OF REDLANDS THROWN FROM HORSE.

Her Skull Crushed and Condition Thought to be Serious—Miss Louise Bishop Marries Prof. Bruce of Boston—Call Extended to Rev. Porter of Hollywood.

REDLANDS, May 31.—Miss Verona Tovey lies at her home unconscious from injuries received by being thrown from her horse, near the Country Club. She was found lying by the roadside some time after the accident occurred, though it is not known how long. Her skull in crushed and her condition very serious. Miss Tovey, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Tovey, is a pupil in the eighth grade of the Kingsbury school.

BISHOP-BRUCE NUPTIALS.

The First Methodist Church last evening was the scene of the marriage of Miss Louise Maud Bishop and Prof. Robert Ernest Bruce of Boston, Mass.; the ceremony being performed by Rev. R. L. Bruce, father of the groom and pastor of the church here. The bride is one of Redlands's most accomplished vocalists, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bishop, while the groom occupies the chair of mathematics in Boston University. After the ceremony a reception was tendered at the home of the bride's parents. Prof. and Mrs. Bruce will spend their summer on this Coast, leaving for Boston in the early fall.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

The vestry of Burrage Memorial Episcopal Church has extended a call to Rev. A. M. Porter of Hollywood to accept the pastorate of the church here recently made vocant by the resignation of Rev. F. F. Johnson. It is expected he will accept.

Benton K. Jamison, Jr., a prominent stock broker of Philadelphia, passed away in this city last night, aged 37 years. The remains will be shipped East.

The building boom in Redlands continues. Building permits issued the past five months aggregate $200,000, and more large ones will be issued within a few days.

The death of Louis Butler, who was electrocuted at the Union Ice Company plant, last week, will result in a suit for damages by the widow. It is said the wires were not properly protected.

IS THE BODY AT IBEX HARLAND'S?

MAY BE THAT OF SEARCHLIGHT STAGE OWNER.

Missing Man Left Several Months Ago to Avoid Arrest on a Serious Charge Involving a Little Girl. Twenty-nine Strike Breakers Arrive from the East.

SAN BERNARDINO, May 31.—News has been received of the finding of a human body near Ibex Station, on the desert, and it is supposed that it is the remains of James Harland, who escaped from Searchlight several months ago, to avoid arrest on a serious charge involving a little girl. For a number of years Harland had been owner of the Searchlight stage. He became infatuated with a child of 16, and arranged to elope with her.

After disposing of his property in the camp and selling out the stage line he met the girl one night at a church social and on the way home with her importuned her to run off with him. His earnestness frightened the child, who screamed. Assistance was quick to arrive, and within half an hour a posse was headed across the desert after Harland, who had been charged by the child's father with a serious offense.

It was supposed that somehow he had managed to reach a railroad point and boarded a train without detection, but many of his friends held a different opinion and believed that he had perished. The finding of the corpse strengthens this belief. Harland had numerous valuable papers on him, and it is reported that these have been found on the body of the dead man. This has not been verified.

ALL OVER A SHOTGUN.

Charles Deacon of Los Angeles has brought suit against the Herzog Jewelry and Loan Company to recover $35 damages and loss alleged to have been sustained through a breach of trust on the part of the defendant. According to the complaint, Deacon obtained a loan of $2 on a shotgun, with the agreement that he could redeem the same any time within thirty days. When he called to make the redemption he was informed that the gun had been given to another person on his order.

"SHOTGUN" GETS JUDGMENT.

The celebrated condemnation suit brought by the county against William Roach, widely known as Shotgun Roach, to obtain right of way for road purposes, ended this afternoon by Judge Bledsoe issuing an order of condemnation and giving Roach judgment for $465. He had demanded $800. For two years the case has been in court, Roach at one time causing consternation by standing guard over his property with a shotgun.

SAYS CHILD WAS KIDNAPED.

Mrs. Mary Hoffman appealed to the District Attorney today for the arrest of her son-in-law, a man named Jones, whom she charges with having kidnaped her grandchild. Jones and his wife have been separated some time. This afternoon he took his thirteen-year-old daughter from her grandmother's home on Sixth street, placing her in a sisters' school, pending the court's decision as to who shall be the girl's custodian.

BERDOO BRIEFS.

D. Johnson of Colton this morning sold the Transcontinental Hotel building at that place to eastern capitalists; consideration named, $5000. The building will be remodeled and transformed into a business block.

A marriage license was issued today to Elias Smith Hursh, aged 21, and Carrie Lulu Haukins, aged 19, both natives of New Jersey and residents of Los Angeles.

Charles Jones, the Highland man who was crushed between the stumps of two old palms which had been thrown out on a bank, will probably die. He was taken to a hospital at Los Angeles, where an operation will be performed as a last hope of saving his life.

Rev. Mark B. Shaw has just returned from Hemet, where he officiated at the funeral of Rev. S. D. Ervine, a once prominent evangelist of Nova Scotia, who died at Hemet of consumption after an illness of three years.

Twenty-one Scandinavian boilermakers brought here from Pittsburgh three days ago, were discharged by the Santa Fé this afternoon. Twenty-nine strike breakers were brought in this morning from the East.

Arthur McDavit, whose wife is suing him for divorce, has been found guilty of contempt of court and ordered to pay costs of proceedings against him. He had refused to pay alimony.

Edward Berdan, assistant commissary at the Needles shops, was brought in from there this morning under sentence of ninety days in the County Jail, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. According to the complaint, the prisoner had been given $45 in trust by an employé and took the first opportunity to squander the money in the sporting houses of the town.

HORSE TREADS ON WOMAN.

MRS. OSTRANDER OF TRABUCO CANYON THE VICTIM.

Animal's Heavy Forefeet Crush Her Collar Bone and Inflict Other Injuries—She Lies Unconscious for Long While Before Her Husband Finds Her.

SANTA ANA, May 31.—While attempting to bring in a team of horses from pasture yesterday afternoon Mrs. John Ostrander of Trabuco Cañon, was trampled under their feet and by a seeming miracle escaped death. Mrs. Ostrander caught the horses and had mounted one, expecting to ride it bareback from the pasture to the barn, when it became frightened and threw her to the ground. Then in jumping around, the horse planted one of its forefeet squarely upon Mrs. Ostrander's right shoulder as she lay prostrate and snapped the collar bone. The animal also gave her a severe and disabling kick on the ankle. The shock from the accident rendered the injured woman unconscious and she lay in the sun for an hour and a half before her husband, returning home from his day's work, discovered her. Late last night she was driven the twenty miles to this city where her injuries were cared for at the home of her father, G. F. Havens.

ORANGE COUNTY BRIEFS.

Henry G. Cartmell has bought a ten-acre ranch in the A. B. Chapman addition; consideration named, $5000.

Work is to begin next week drilling a number of new wells on the San Joaquin ranch to develop irrigating water with the expectation of putting a part of the land now devoted to barley and beans to orchards. The wells will be sunk to a depth of several hundred feet and different sections thoroughly tested for water.

Mayflower Lodge No. 365, Fraternal Union of America, has elected the following officers: Mrs. S. E. Ellis, F. M.; Mrs. M. C. English, justice; Mrs. N. J. Brown, protector; Miss Josie Keen, truth; W. H. Kidd, mercy; Mrs. Dora Spangler, guide; Ray Saunders, guard; Mrs. M. L. Hickey, sentinel; Messrs. Millings, Lacy and Saunders, stewards; Mrs. F. M. Lacy, organist.

Harry H. Thurber of this city filed suit for divorce today from Mrs. Marilla A. Thuber.

Marriage Licenses have been granted at the office of the County Clerk to Walter Moore, aged 25, and Adele Mason, aged 24, both of Monrovia; to George W. Lyon, aged 22, and Grace L. Swezey, aged 17, both of El Toro; to Edmund E. Beazley, aged 35, and Minnie L. Hettebrink, aged 25, of Fullerton.

FIRST TROLLEY ON NEW LINE.

FROM LONG BEACH TO ANAHEIM LANDING BY ELECTRIC.

Officials of Mr. Huntington's Road View What Has Been Already Accomplished—Work to be Rapidly Pushed to Completion from the Landing Down the Coast.

FULLERTON, May 31.—The first electric car over the new line from Long Beach to Anaheim Landing arrived at the landing today, coming almost up to the long bridge across the bay. It will be several days before the road is open for business. The car only brought the high officials of the road who came on a tour of inspection. The road is to be rushed to completion from the landing on to Newport Beach. A substantial railroad bridge is being built across Anaheim Landing bay.

VERY REPENTANT.

Hanson Streator the young man who took thirteen grains of morphine last night while under the influence of liquor returned to Fullerton tonight and denies that he attempted suicide. Says he got to drinking with Los Angeles friends yesterday and as he seldom touches liquor he was soon under its influence. He intended to go to work at Santa Ana today and as he wanted to sober up he stopped off at Fullerton and when he reached here he purchased the morphine believing it would sober him up and make him sleep well. He did not know what he was doing when he bought the medicine or when he took the overdose. He is glad now he was saved and says he will never touch another drop of whisky as long as he lives.

Los Angeles and Hotel Del Monte.
Through chair car between Santa Barbara and Hotel Del Monte, daily, without change on train leaving Los Angeles at 8 a.m., and Santa Barbara at 11:40 a.m., via Southern Pacific.

If You Want to go East C. Haydock.
Agent Illinois Central R.R. 228 South Spring.

High-class Carriage Repairing.
Painting, trimming. Headquarters for rubber tires. Parrot Carriage Mfg. Co., 10th & Main.

Strong Sunlight, Wind and Dust.
Cause Eye Strain, Granulated Lids, Redness. Murine Eye Remedy restores, cures Eye diseases, soothes Eye Pain, aids those wearing glasses; doesn't smart. A favorite toilet requisite

MATHEW GAGE, GREAT WRECK.

AFFAIRS OF RIVERSIDE MAN TERRIBLY INVOLVED.

He Has Left for the North With His Family—His Property Interests About the Orange-growing Center Mortgaged to the Last Dollar. Numerous Small Creditors.

RIVERSIDE, May 31.—Mathew Gage, for years one of Riverside's reputed millionaires, originator, and builder and backer of the canal system which still bears his name has left, with his wife and daughters, for the North, leaving his affairs here a complete wreck. His large property interests are mortgaged to the last dollar, over $200,000 being held against him by G. Howard Thompson, a San Francisco capitalist. Several smaller claims are held by the local banks.

The worst feature of the whole matter, however, is the number of local creditors. He leaves accounts ranging all the way from a few dollars to hundreds, and these entirely without security. James McDougal is out $60 on a painting bill, A. Defani $100 for blacksmithing, Heath and Morrison, druggists, over $400, and the Riverside Grocery Company, between $300 and $400. These are only a few, how much more perhaps will never be known.

The Riverside Savings Banks holds a $10,000 mortgage on his subdivision of section 30, the recently improved property under the Gage canal system just outside the city limits on Eighth street. G. Howard Thompson holds a $160,000 mortgage on the same property filed December 31, 1903, with the County Recorder, and $12,000 filed April 2; and by a trust deed filed May 16, 1904, Thompson gets control of the beautiful home property at the corner of Fourteenth and Mulberry and the ninety-eight shares in the Gage Canal Company, owned jointly by Mathew Gage and Jane Gage, his wife.

Thus the real property gave no hold for the local creditors to file against, and all available personal property was held in the name of his wife or daughters. The family have gone to Berkeley, where they expect to make their home, while Mr. Gage has interested himself in some business enterprise in San Francisco. Much sympathy is expressed for the fallen capitalist here by those who are not his creditors, for all realize the immense improvement in the valley due to his enterprise and management.

CORONA.

BUNCH OF ACCIDENTS.

CORONA, May 31.—Emmett, the 3-year-old son of Supervisor J. T. Hamner, fell this morning while at play and sustained a fracture of the left leg above the knee.

A kick from a fractious horse last evening cut a deep gash under Theodore Lasley's right eye and also injured the eyelid. Lasley is a colored youth 18 years of age, employed by I. N. Seares.

Gordon Todd was accidentally thrown from a horse yesterday and received a severely bruised hip, shoulder and wrist.

Robert Wall's 2-year-old son, Earl, fell on a broken bottle Sunday evening and cut his left knee severely.

WILL BE A LIVELY DAY.

Corona's programme for next Friday includes an excursion from Los Angeles to Corona, which will be in charge of a Los Angeles real estate firm; Coronado Tent City band concert at 3 p.m.; school election from 1 to 6 p.m. to vote on one school trustee; mass meeting at the schoolhouse at 7:30 p.m. to settle ward or high school proposition; social in the afternoon and dance in the operahouse in the evening.

HERE AND THERE.

At a regular meeting of the City Trustees next Friday night it is understood Trustee P. A. Bennett will offer his resignation, as he will leave soon for an indefinite stay in San Diego.

The Temescal Water Company's thirty-mile transmission line will be completed early in June. About the middle of the month the company's wells at Temescal will be pumped by electric power.

From 1800 acres at Rincon, Frank and Amos Clapp will have between 700 and 800 tons of wheat and barley hay this season.

VARIEL-KELLY TOMORROW.

The marriage of William J. Variel and Miss Anita Page Kelly will take place tomorrow. It was erroneously announced that the nuptials would take place yesterday.

FORT RILEY SOLDIERS MUTINY.

JUNCTION CITY (Kan.) May 31.—About noon today nineteen soldiers in Troop K, Eighth Cavalry, at Fort Riley, rebelled on account of an inspection that was ordered for 3 o'clock this afternoon. They came to Junction City and paraded the streets in defiance of the non-commissioned officers sent to take them back to the post. A detail of men was sent from the post to assist in the capture of the mutineers. With the aid of the local police agencies all but four of the mutineers are in custody tonight. Only seven of the men resisted the patrol and it is probable that they will be charged with mutiny when they go before court-martial for trial.

Customer: What's good for a bald head?
Barber: Hair.

WORST DEAL AT RIVERSIDE.

Another Exposure by County Grand Jury.

Many Members of the Ring Are Entangled.

Suit Brought to Recover the Amount of the Grab.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, May 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A suit was filed Saturday afternoon by the county of Riverside against the Yawman Erbe Manufacturing Company of San Francisco to collect $4960 paid by the Board of Supervisors on March 4, 1903 out of the general fund of the county treasury for certain metallic, vault and office furniture used in the new county Courthouse.

The suit is instigated at the command of the grand jury, which finds that the demand for $4960 of the Yawman Erbe Company is illegal, void and not due from the county. The principal grounds for illegality set forth in the complaint are, first, that the bill was not itemized; second, that the bids were not advertised (as required by Section 40 of the county government act;) third, that a part of the goods was never delivered. Plaintiff prays for judgment for said $4960 with 20 per cent. additional as damages for use thereof of for costs of action.

SUPERVISORS ENTANGLED.

Underneath all this technicality runs a story which entangles the entire Board of Supervisors, and Chairman Dunbar and Craven especially.

The board knowingly, in open violation of every provision of Section 40 of the County Government Act approved the bill and authorized it paid, without another bid being seen, considered or advertised for, considering the bill as a lump whole, without knowing the services performed or price paid, kind or quality of supplies, or even date when furnished. This bill, and in this manner, the board approved, and as it passed down through successive hands it gathered the following endorsements:

A FEW SIGNATURES.

"Expenditure authorized and approved." C. W. Craven.

"Within claim is legal charge against county." Lyman Evans, District-Attorney.

"Allowed by Board of Supervisors, payable out of general fund," Countersigned, F. M. Dunbar, chairman; attested by W. W. Phelps, clerk; A. B. Pilch, deputy clerk.

"Warrant No. 740." W. B. Clancy, County Auditor.

"Rec'd payment," D. G. Mitchell, County Treasurer.

All these acts, as stated in the complaint, were done and approved without authority of law, in this, the most vital department of the whole county government. Passing successively through the hands of ten prominent county officials, the bill was approved and the money paid, and the matter was left to the probing investigations of a grand jury to discover its rottenness. This is the worst tangle yet discovered by the jury.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.]

Explosives from Balloons.

LOS ANGELES, May 31.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Apropos of your editorial on dropping explosives from balloons I send you an extract from Arch-deacon Coxe's, "History of the House of Austria," describing an effort made in 1849, to damage the city of Venice by Marshal Radetski, commanding the Austrian army.

FRANCIS H. ATKINS.

Two mile of water still intervened between the Austrians and the devoted city, (Venice,) which their guns were unable to reach; which it was defended by the fortifications on San Secundo and other islands, two batteries on the remains of the railway viaduct, several arches of which had been blown up, and by one hundred gunboats, each carrying four guns.

The bombardment began on the 15th. (May, 1849,) and the firing was kept up day and night, but with no great success, for the balls and bombs for the most part fell short. Vexed by the fruitless expenditure of an enormous amount of ammunition, the Austrians had recourse to the novel device of bombarding by means of balloons, five of which, each twenty-five feet in diameter, were constructed at Treviso. From the car attached to each balloon five bombs were suspended by long, insulated wires, one end of which was in communication with a powerful galvanic battery placed on the shore. The balloon having been launched and carried by the wind in the required direction, the cutting of the wires would effect the double purpose of firing the fuses and detaching the bombs, which would then fall perpendicularly and explode on reaching the ground. By this means it was thought that twenty-five bombs a day might be thrown into the city when the wind was favorable. Experiment made previously at Treviso had succeeded completely; but when the trial was made over the lagoons, on the 24th of June, with three balloons, it failed in consequence of a change in the wind after the balloons were discharged, and the bombs, instead of reaching the city, fell into the sea.—[Archdeacon Coxe's "History of the House of Austria."

A Bishop's Farewell.

LOS ANGELES, May 31.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Farewell to beautiful Los Angeles. We have been royally entertained, every promise made by the committee has been abundantly fulfilled. We leave for our distant homes with regret.

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"That's just what he's doing," answered Farmer Corntossel. "He just got employement the other day running the elevator in a big office building.—[Washington Star.

As those Turkish warships completed and ordered can't be used in the Balkans there is a not unnatural curiosity to know what the Sultan intends to do with them—[Pittsburgh Post.

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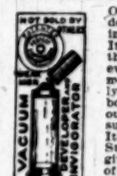

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

RAIL STRIKES CHILD DUMB.

CURIOUS ACCIDENT ON RUBIO CANYON CAR.

Striking Plumbers Show Signs of Repentance — Trapshooters Say They Weren't Asked to Postpone Memorial Day Events and Would Have Done so if Requested.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 26 South Raymond Avenue, June 1.—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Freytag, No. 800 Manzanita avenue, was struck on the back of the head with the heavy guard rail of an electric car at Rubio Cañon, Monday afternoon, while the mother was attempting to board the car. The rail is one used to prevent passengers from alighting from the wrong side of the car, and was accidentally loosened from its fastening just as Mrs. Freytag boarded the train.

The child is but 1 year old, and since the accident has lain in a semi-stupor. No blame attaches to the street-car men. Dr. S. P. Swearinger is attending the infant, and says that it will be several days before the extent of the injuries received can be determined. The swelling, which is now very pronounced, may disappear, but complications may arise.

Mrs. Freytag had been in the cañon with a party of friends. A number of people attempted to board the cars at the same time, and in the scramble to see who would get on the car first, the bar was thrown from its socket and fell on the back of the child's head.

PLUMBERS WANT PEACE.

For weeks prior to the strike of the journeymen plumbers the employing plumbers of this city wanted peace. Now that the bosses have started in to break the strike, a few of the strikers have begun to sigh for their jobs and express a willingness to meet the masters even a little more than half way.

Work on all jobs was resumed yesterday morning, quite a number of workmen from other towns applying for work. While the masters admit they have not enough men to take the places of all of the strikers, the men have been apportioned so that contracts of a rush nature will not suffer. Workmen have come out from Los Angeles, helpers have been promoted to journeymen and additional men are expected to come from outside points today.

The journeymen held a meeting yesterday afternoon, but no action was taken. The situation was discussed, and the fire-eating contingent of the union agitated without success. It is understood that the conservative element of the union desires to compromise and avoid a long-drawn-out battle that would be a losing proposition to both sides. Whether the masters, in their present frame of mind would care to further discuss an agreement after two have been broken, was last night pronounced doubtful by one who has kept well in touch with the matter since its inception.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

El Molino tennis court players are having some good games on the two courts these days. At the last tournament, yesterday, Barnes beat Jones in the preliminaries 3-0; Fraser beat Tuttle 8-1; Whitney beat Coyler 5-7, 6-4, 6-3; White beat Reinamer 8-0; Hillier defeated Bufkin 6-2; Lacey won from Mather 8-0. In the second round Barnes defaulted to Fraser, Whitney to White and Lacey succeeded in winning from Hillier 8-3. In the semi-finals in a hard-fought match, White defeated Fraser 6-1. In the finals Lacey beat White 6-2, 6-2. In the doubles Bufkin and Lacey defeated White and Fraser 6-0, 1-6, 6-2.

SHOOTERS ALSO PROTEST.

The protest of the officers of the G.A.R. against the desecration of Memorial Day by the members of the Pasadena Trap Shooters' Association has called forth a counter protest on the part of the gun club. The shooters object to the fact that no complaint was made to them. Instead, a signed protest and pointed arraignment was issued to the press. It is said by the officers of the club that when the protest appeared it was then to late to recall the invitations, which had gone all over Southern California. They assert that had any member of the Grand Army Post suggested that the selection of Memorial Day was considered a desecration of the day, the tourney would have been postponed.

GIRL WALKED HOME.

Francis Titley of Lamanda Park bought a horse yesterday, and the animal was guaranteed to be a perfect pet. That was the kind Titley wanted. Accompanied by his best friend, he drove the new steed into this city last night, and hitched the animal near the First Methodist Church. After the concert the horse could not be found, and a few hours later Titley wandered into the Police Station to inquire if the animal had been run in. The young lady decided not to wait, and walked home, while Francis hunted for the lost steed that was guaranteed to be a perfect pet. He didn't find it in time to drive home with the young lady.

MONDAY AFTERNOON CLUB.

Miss Helen Carter entertained the Monday Afternoon Club at luncheon yesterday at her home on Hill avenue. The color scheme for the table decorations was pink Shirley poppies, sweet peas and delicately tinted roses being used in profusion. The place cards bore prettily painted Japanese girls, each playing upon some native musical instrument.

The entertainment included a paper on Italian music by Miss Carter. Beginning at the "Gregorian" chant, she followed the history of musical Italy up to the present, and afterward sang several selections from the Italian operas to illustrate the different qualities of the great masters.

Mrs. Alice Freeman Vail played the accompaniments for Miss Carter's singing, and also gave two instrumental numbers.

The invited guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Alice Freeman Vail and Mrs. Stout of Los Angeles. The club members present were Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. F. S. Daggett, Mrs. H. I. Stuart, Mrs. G. A. Gibbs, Mrs. D. M. Page, Miss Blakeslee, Mrs. F. R. Harris, Mrs. J. J. Bleecker and Mrs. Stanton.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. McGilvray and Miss Marian McGilvray are at home again after six months of travel in Europe. Don McGilvray returned with them as far as New York, but remained in the east for a visit with friends.

Miss Vira Norris will leave on Thursday's overland for Winona Lake, Ind., where she will spend the summer with a college friend. Miss Norris intends to stop at St. Louis to visit the World's Fair.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

J. E. Williams of North Pasadena disputed the right of way with a Santa Fé freight train at the Los Robles-avenue crossing about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The train went on its way and Williams was taken to his home on Hammond street in the ambulance. The wagon in which he was riding was thrown against a telegraph pole, to the damage of both pole and wagon. Williams was not hurt.

Rev. Robert R. Meredith, pastor of the First Congregational Church of this city, will be the principal speaker at the fourteenth annual convention of the Southern California Sunday-school Association, which will convenene in Los Angeles, June 7 to 9.

Thaddeus S. Husted, a resident of Buffalo, N. Y., died yesterday at No. 285 Park street. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

C. B. Scoville left last evening for San Francisco on a business trip, and will be away several days.

Orvis W. Bullock of Springfield, Mass., well known in Pasadena, where he and Mrs. Bullock have spent their winters for several years, was severely injured in a street-car accident in his home city a few days ago. In attempting to board an electric car a compound fracture of the hip was sustained.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Langard, No. 405 North Hudson avenue, requested the services of the police last night in finding their two children, who had wandered away from home early in the evening.

Engraved calling cards at Leonard's. Wigwam has removed to 61 N. Euclid. Closing out refrigerators at Pennel's. Japanese tea wafers at Kuranaga's. Wadsworth sells paints.

OCEAN PARK.

HENDERSON STILL ABSENT.

OCEAN PARK, May 31.—Contractor H. V. Henderson is still missing and aside from learning possibly that he converted Mr. Volk's $500 draft into cash before leaving the city there are no new develoqements. Some advances were made to Henderson on his Brooks-avenue contracts, but the exact amounts are not known, as the persons who made the payments are non-residents.

TO BOMBARD PORT ARTHUR.

The main feature of the Fourth of July celebration here will be the "bombardment of Port Arthur," the committee having decided to have the fireworks appropriation devoted to a scenic effect on the water. The Finance Committee has already raised $500 for the celebration.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

The Santa Monica Municipal League is to meet at the Pier-avenue Casino tomorrow night where a permanent organization will be effected. If Ocean Park desires to have a hand in it. The meeting is expected to thoroughly discuss the sewer question.

THE NEW BATHHOUSE.

The concrete work on the bathhouse is completed and work is suspended pending the arrival of the structural iron. It will be late in the summer before the structure will be ready for dedication.

WILL DRIVE MANY PILES.

Something is doing on the beach at the site of the proposed toboggan railway. The piledriver will soon be hammering the piling into the sandy beach and into the sea. The builders say they will employ 150 men and rush the structure to completion. It is estimated that it will cost $30,000.

SIERRA MADRE.

MANY PICNICKERS.

SIERRA MADRE, May 31.—Several tallyho parties came over from Los Angeles yesterday, most of them stopping in Little Santa Anita Cañon, where, in shady nooks by the cool waters, they formed into groups and spent the day in real old-fashioned picnic style. One of the merriest companies in the cañon was composed of pupils of the Pasadena High School.

SMALL PICK-UPS.

Cephas Jensen of Los Angeles has been the guest of his mother on Granden street.

Miss Lulu Bixby has returned from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Bert Chase, and husband at Pomona.

The ladies of the Congregational Church are to have a summer fair on the grounds of Mrs. E. W. Camp Friday afternoon.

Ed Rymes, from Iowa, who came here a short time ago for his health, died very suddenly last night. His father and mother arrived the previous evening from the East.

Mrs. F. B. Staines of Kentucky is occupying the Lincoln residence on Grand View avenue.

CATALINA ISLAND.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

AVALON, May 31.—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Paul of East Los Angeles are occupying their cottage on Sumner avenue.

Mrs. W. S. Livengood and daughter, Miss Frances, and Miss May Elspeller of Los Angeles and Mrs. Maggard of Houston, Tex., who have been visiting the island for a few days, returned to the mainland today.

Quite a party of European tourists arrived at Hotel Metropole yesterday, the register showing names from Berlin, Coblenz, Lubeck and Rossie.

Judge Adelbert C. Fanning of Towanda, Pa., with his wife, registered at Hotel Windsor.

The funeral of Harry Bates occurred this afternoon, interment being made in the Avalon Cemetery. As the widow was left without means a subscription paper was handed around, and about $500 secured.

GLENDALE.

FOR TELEPHONE BUILDING.

GLENDALE, May 31.—L. C. Brand has donated a lot to the Home Telephone Company, on which will be erected a building for the company's central station. The district will include Glendale, West and North Glendale, Tropico, Ivanhoe, Eagle Rock, Burbank and Toluca.

J. Webster and family arrived Wednesday from Imperial, and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Webster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lyman.

Paul Wallace departed Thursday morning for the East, where he will spend several months, and before his return will go to St. Louis.

SAWTELLE.

I.O.O.F. ELECTION.

SAWTELLE, May 31.—Yesterday evening Sawtelle Lodge, I.O.O.F., elected the following officers: Noble grand, George Lacell; vice-grand, W. B. B. Taylor; recording secretary, Fred Axtell; financial secretary, George Tillman; treasurer, P. H. Sonnesyn; trustee, H. J. Farnsworth.

NEW TEMPLE DEDICATED.

MASONS GATHER IN STRONG FORCE AT ALHAMBRA.

Senior Grand Warden Motley H. Flint Acts as Grand Master in Dedicating the Lodge's New Home. Appropriate Addresses Delivered by Grand Lodge Officers.

ALHAMBRA, May 31.—The local lodge of Masons incorporated recently into a hall association, and purchased the Stimson brick block, corner of Main and First streets, the upper portion of which they have remodeled into one of the handsomest and most convenient of lodgerooms. The main hall is carpeted and furnished, and lighted by electricity. On one side of the hall doors open into a finely appointed banquet room, in the rear of which is a convenient kitchen, including closets for china and silverware. Last evening was the appointed time for dedicating the new temple, and about two hundred people, Masons and their ladies, were present, some to assist and others to witness the impressive dedicatory ceremonies according to the ritual of the Grand Lodge of California. Among those present were a number of Masons from Los Angeles and Pasadena. From the former city came Postmaster and Senior Grand Warden Motley H. Flint, who acted as Grand Master, and convened the Grand Lodge in special session for the purpose of dedication. Among those who were appointed as Grand Lodge officers and assisted in the ceremonies were Past Grand Master James A. Foshay, W. P. Jeffries, Leo V. Youngworth, M. H. Harrison, Los Angeles; Henry Ramel, R. Williams, Pasadena. The rest of the Grand Lodge officers were selected from members of Alhambra Lodge.

Sherman A. Bullis, present master of Alhambra Lodge, asked the Grand Master to dedicate the lodge's new home, which was done, according to the ancient rites, after which there were appropriate addresses by Acting Grand Master M. H. Flint, Past Grand Master J. A. Foshay, Past Master W. P. Jeffries, Past Master Henry Ramel and Past Master N. G. Felker. The Grand Lodge then repaired to an adjoining room and was closed, after which the banquet hall was opened and all partook of a spread. Every one present expressed admiration at the new hall, and the opening and dedication was the most important affair in lodge circles that ever occurred in Alhambra.

MRS. STOKES DEAD.

Mrs. Frank Stokes, who has been an invalid for some time, died at her home yesterday. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence.

SANTA MONICA.

JUVENILES COMMITTED.

SANTA MONICA, May 31.—City Recorder Guidinger this morning committed Ernest Vache, James Wyatt and Leo Hughes to the juvenile court at Los Angeles. These are the boys who recently stole a bicycle from W. A. Poiringhorn's barn. They are none of them over 15 years old. Vache and Wyatt stole the wheel while Hughes stood guard. Then they divided the booty and were apprehended while endeavoring to sell the dismantled wheel.

MISS NEWKIRK NOT TIED.

Miss Emma Newkirk writes from New York that the report of her engagement to Mr. Willis, as recently announced, is a mistake. Miss Newkirk is the Santa Monica girl who went to New York to pose and took first prize as being the best developed woman in America.

GUILTY PLEA ENDS IT.

A. B. Pearson, before the City Recorder this morning, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of drunkenness, and thus ends the chapter. Pearson is the man who had employed City Attorney Taft to defend him.

LONG BEACH.

COMMANDERY CONSTITUTED.

LONG BEACH, May 31.—Today has been a gala time in Masonic circles, the occasion being the constituting of Long Beach Commandery, No. 40, Knights Templars, which for five months has been working under a dispensation, but had a charter granted at the last meeting of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Lodge officers in attendance are Grand Junior Warden William D. Stephens of Los Angeles, Grand Warden A. A. Caldwell of Riverside and Past Right Eminent Grand Commander H. S. Orme of Los Angeles. Visiting commanderies were present from Los Angeles, Santa Ana and Pasadena, and assisted in the ceremonies. Late this afternoon the guests were given a ride about the city in automobiles. At 5 o'clock the Grand Commandery convened and constituted the new commandery, the following Commanders and Past Commanders acting as grand officers: Grand Commander, William D. Stephens of Los Angeles; Deputy Grand Commander, A. A. Caldwell of Riverside; Grand Generalissimo, J. H. Dryer of Santa Ana; Grand Captain-General, J. P. Greeley of Santa Ana; Grand Senior Warden, J. A. Kingsley of Los Angeles; Grand Junior Warden, W. M. Scott of Santa Ana; Grand Prelate, Arthur Brookman of Los Angeles; Grand Recorder, W. B. Scarborough of Los Angeles; Grand Treasurer, Robert Wankowski of Los Angeles; Grand Standard Bearer, Frank Raynes of Pomona; Grand Sword Bearer, William Shibley of Pasadena; Grand Warden, L. S. Porter of Pasadena.

After the ceremonies constituting the new commandery, the following officers were elected: Eminent Commander, J. B. Heartwell; Generalissimo, A. C. Malone; Captain-General, Dr. T. C. Donnell; Senior Warden, L. A. Rockwell; Junior Warden, Prof. J. J. Morgan; Treasurer, C. L. Heartwell; Recorder, F. A. Crowe; Prelate, Henry F. Starbuck; Warden, H. J. Iftiger; Standard Bearer, William Rommell; Sword Bearer, S. G. Stannard; Sentinel, Joseph H. Scales.

After this the members and visitors enjoyed a banquet prepared by the ladies of the Eastern Star. Covers were laid for 200. Eminent Commander J. B. Heartwell acted as master of ceremonies, and made the welcoming address. Greetings were also extended by Worshipful Master A. C. Malone of the Blue Lodge, High Priest Henry F. Starbuck of the Royal Arch Chapter and Worthy Patron Samuel Hiller of the Eastern Star. Responses were made as follows: For the Grand Commandery, Grand Junior Warden W. D. Stephens, Past Eminent Commander W. M. Scott, Past Eminent Commander William Sibley, Eminent Commander J. A. Kingsley. After music by the Kingore Orchestra, Sir Knight H. S. Orme, Past Grand Commander of California, delivered an address on "Masonry in the Past," and was followed by Perry W. Weldner, Captain-General of Los Angeles Commandery, who spoke of "Masonry in the Future." The banquet closed with a benediction by Rev. Charles T. Murphy of St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

Returning to the Asylum, the Grand Lodge again convened and the newly-elected officers were installed. A reception and social closed the exercises of the day and evening.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

In the exercises of Memorial Day here the G.A.R., the W.R.C., and the Sons of Veterans with 800 school children, headed by the band, marched to the ocean's brink, and strewed flowers on the waves. Later at the Tabernacle a programme was presented which included a vocal solo by Mrs. J. F. Van Saun of New York, a double vocal quartette by Mrs. Holt, Misses Eastman, Lincoln and Meyers and Messrs Cate, Farrar, Palmer and Kay, and an address by Dr. John F. Crippen of Marion, Iowa. In the afternoon details from the petriotic organizations visited the Wilmington and Signal Hill cemeteries and decorated the graves.

UNCLE OVERTON NOT DEAD.

A wild rumor was circulated about the city yesterday of the death of J. J. Overton, the centenarian of Long Beach, who confesses to nearly 107 years. It probably grew out of the fact that the old man's popcorn stand was closed while Mr. Banner, his clerk, was participating in the Memorial exercises, and some wag hung a black ribbon bow on the door. The report spread with wonderful rapidity, and gained general credence. Investigation proved its falsity. A visit to his home today discovered Uncle Joe in his usual health and working in his garden. He was as chipper and spry as usual, and to prove that he was not dead came downtown this afternoon and held a levee, shaking hands with his friends.

NORWALK.

IN HONOR OF VETERANS.

NORWALK, May 31.—Among the items in the Memorial Day programme as presented here were singing by public school children led by Miss L. Chester, speeches by Rev. Mr. Hall, Rev. Mr. Harris, Justice E. P. Truitt, and I. Liscomb. A recitation by Ada Nichols, a cornet solo by Miss Edith DeWitt, and a song by Charles Gauh.

Prof. E. E. Dolland of Los Angeles and members of the Board of Education of that city were entertained at dinner Monday by Mr. and Mrs. John Dolland at their home ranch near here.

POMONA.

WORK ON NEW RESEVOIR.

POMONA, May 31.—Work was commenced yesterday excavating for the large reservoir which will be located upon the summit of the southeast hill at Ganesha Park and in which water will be stored for irrigating the shrubbery along the heights of the new park. The reservoir will be elliptical in shape, the dimensions being seventy by thirty-five feet and eight feet deep, the capacity being 177,000 gallons. The construction of the reservoir will admit of a series of cascades down the hillside, which would prove one of the most beautiful features of the park and can be arranged with small expense other than the laying of rock for such a waterway. With several small pools or catch basins all of the water may be used for irrigation. Now that the improvement of Ganesha and the new park on West Second street is actually commenced citizens generally are greatly interested in the progress of the work which will mean so much to the city.

The Dakotas picnic will be held at Ganesha Park on Wednesday and many former residents of these States are planning to attend. The speakers will be Hon. E. W. Camp of Los Angeles and Hon. E. T. Langley of Santa Ana.

BUSY DAY FOR TRAPSHOOTERS.

COUNTRY GUN CLUBS HOLD HOLIDAY TOURNAMENTS.

Pasadena Merchandise Event Proves Hilarious and Enjoyable. Good Scores Are Made by Magnolia Men from Riverside—Dr. Jones Wins the McFadden Medal.

Memorial Day was unusually popular among the Southern California trapshooting clubs, several saucer splintering organizations holding tournaments at various of the outside towns.

Everything to eat, wear and smoke; shaves to sandwiches, art china to a ten-pound ham, a sack of flour and a fish-hook were hung up as prizes at the merchandise tournament of the Pasadena Trap Shooters' Association. The tourney was an all-day affair, with lunch on the grounds. A high wind interfered with the averages.

The man who has not shaved since a boy, and wears a beard in deference to his wife's wishes, won the set of six shaves. A vegetarian got the ham. Sam Graham, who is a Democrat and cannot read, won the yearly subscription to a newspaper, and a quart of Cyrus Noble went to Frank Stone, who says he hasn't room on his lot for any more shrubbery. The score follows:

First event, 10 birds, entrance 50 cents—F. G. Moulton, 8; R. J. Leslie, 9; H. W. Walster, 7; C. Freytag, 4; M. Salisbury, 7; G. Lovelace, Los Angeles, 10; J. E. Vaughan, Los Angeles, 9; S. L. Graham, 8; Morgan, 5.

Second event, 15 birds, entrance 50 cents—Moulton, 13; Walster, 11; Salisbury, 5; Leslie, 11; Freytag, 7; Lovelace, 14; Vaughan, 13; Graham, 9; Morgan, 7.

Third event, 20 birds, entrance 75 cents—Moulton, 19; Salisbury, 13; Leslie, 12; Freytag, 10; Lovelace, 18; Vaughan, 20; Graham, 15; Morgan, 7.

Fourth event, 15 birds, entrance 50 cents—Moulton, 11; Walster, 12; Salisbury, 7; Leslie, 14, Freytag, 14; Lovelace, 15; Vaughan, 14; Graham, 13; Morgan, 6; Stone, 14; McCauley, 11.

Fifth event, 15 birds, entrance 50 cents—Moulton, 12; Walster, 12; Salisbury, 8; Leslie 10; Freytag, 9; Soudy, 10; Lovelace, 13; Vaughan, 14; Graham, 10; Morgan, 6; Stone, 8; Upton, 11.

Sixth event, 20 birds, entrance 75 cents—Moulton, 18; Walster, 14; Salisbury, 14; Leslie, 13; Freytag, 10; Lovelace, 19; Vaughan, 18; Graham, 18; Martin, 8; Fiske, 12; Upton, 14.

Seventh event, 15 birds, entrance 50 cents—Moulton, 13; Walster, 8; Salisbury, 9; Leslie, 9; Freytag, 10; Soudy, 9; Lovelace, 13; Vaughan, 14; Graham, 10; Morgan, 6; H. L. Smith, 11; Fiske, 10.

Eighth event, 25 birds, entrance 75 cents, handicap—Moulton (handicap 2) 20; Walster (2,) 21; Salisbury (4,) 15; Leslie (3,) 21; Freytag (3,) 22; Graham (3,) 19; Vaughan (scratch,) 24; Lovelace (scratch,) 19; Morgan (5,) 13; Upton (4,) 22; Fiske (3,) 26; Stone (3,) 22.

Ninth event, miss and out, entrance $1—Moulton, 3; Walster, 14; Salisbury, 1; Leslie, 1; Graham, 3; Vaughan, 9; Fiske, 20; Gibson, 3; Lovelace, 21.

Extra event, 15 birds, entrance 75 cents—Vaughan, 15; Lovelace, 13; Moulton, 10; Walster, 12.

High average, from the scratch—J. E. Vaughan of Los Angeles; high average for club members, F. G. Moulton; low average, F. C. Morgan.

The Santa Ana Gun Club held an interesting saucer-smashing seance at its grounds on First street in that city. A score of shooters turned out, and scores were in the main good. The McFadden medal, held by Clyde Walker, was won by Dr. T. J. Jones of Fairview. His score was 22 out of 25. Curtis was second with 21. In the 15-bird sweepstakes, Clyde Walker made a straight, and H. S. Tubbs broke 10 in one of the 10-bird events. McCullough and Jones made 9, Rutherford 8 in other 10-bird sweeps.

The Magnolia Gun Club did some really high-grade shooting at its traps below Arlington, in Riverside county, Memorial Day. In spite of a stiff cross wind, W. H. Davis broke his first thirty-seven targets without a miss and finished the hundred with 90 per cent. Jack Cuttle strung two straights of ten each, averaging 88 per cent. on the day. Owen Council and Claude Hancock also shot in the first class, the former averaging 84.5 per cent. on a ninety-bird basis, and the latter with a straight 10 and 15, averaging 80 per cent. Nine straight scores were made during the afternoon and nines and eights were made in every event. About fifteen of the club members faced the traps and there was considerable enthusiasm manifested. The events were 10, 10, 15, 10, 10 and 25 birds; scores follow:

Council, 9, —, 12, 9, 9, 20. Davis, 10, 10, 15, 7, 7, 24. Merriam, 8, 6, 11, 4, 4, 15. Cuttle, 7, 9, 13, 10, 10, —. Keith, 5, 5, 10, 3, 3, 13. Hillegas, 6, 7, 5, 6, —, —. Thompson, 7, 8, 9, —, —, 20. Hancock, 10, 7, 15, 8, 8, 16. Howard, —, —, 9, —, 4, 14. F. Manchester, 5, —, 9, —. Praed, 6.

In the team shoot, Team No. 2 won both events by the following scores: Event 1, Cuttle 8, Hancock 8, Merriam 8, Howard 7, Keith 8, total 39; team 2, Council 10, Davis 8, Thompson 9, Hillegas 7, Turle 2, total 36; event 2, Cuttle 9, Hancock 8, Merriam 4, Howard 6, Keith 7, total 34; team 2, Council 7, Davis 9, Thompson 6, Hillegas 4, Turle 1, total 27.

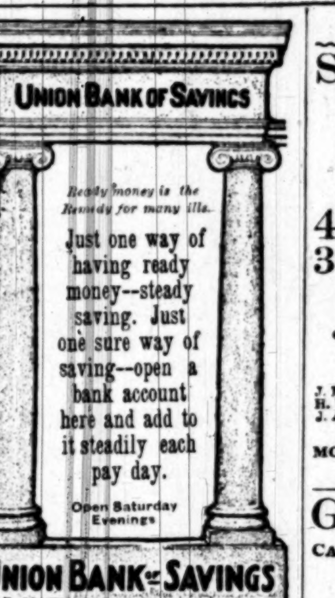
The club is figuring on giving a small tournament in a fe wweeks with merchandise prizes.

THOSE AWFUL NAMES.

Joax: I think I'll ask the Russian Government for a pension.

Hoax: Weren't hurt in the war, were you?

Joax: Indirectly. I dislocated my jaw last week trying to pronounce the name of one of those Russian battleships.



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ST. LOUIS, May 26.—Among foreign nations represented at the St. Louis Exposition—and, with the regrettable exception of Russia, all the world is here—Germany has undoubtedly made for herself the first place of prominence. Either by good luck or by good judgment she chose for her national building a site on the brow of Art Hill, the crown of the central picture. Looking towards the cascades, Festival Hall, and the Colonnade of States, and sweeping along the skyline towards the left, the eye is at once arrested by an edifice of noble proportions and strikingly beautiful architecture, the green dome of which, surmounted by a golden Victory, offers all the effective contrast of a bronze figure among white marble statuary. This is a reproduction of the Castle of Charlottenburg, near Berlin, one of the royal homes of Germany. And here it stands forth alone among the nations, inset amidst the exposition palaces proper. It enjoys, too, the distinction of being the only building within the grounds that appeals to the ear as well as to the eye; when the shades of night are falling, and the crowd is gathering around the Court of Honor to witness the illuminations, the softest-toned chime of bells imaginable sends down from the German house the familiar folk songs of the Fatherland.

The building is devoted to the double purpose of displaying objects of art and interests from the imperial palaces of Germany, and at the same time serving as a national clubhouse and headquarters. There are things of priceless value for the visitor to examine, such as the wedding presents of the Kaiser, the insignia of famous orders studded with gems, gold and silver ornaments that have been family possessions of the Hohenzollerns for centuries. But there are also reception rooms, music room, writing room for newspaper men, all furnished and equipped in sumptuous fashion, yet with homely comfort that invites to use. Here the World's Fair pilgrim may rest and muse awhile, then go forth again refreshed in body and in mind. The impression he will carry away will be one of the thoroughness and the masterfulness of the German character—strength that turns even the highest art to useful purposes.

ART FOR ART'S SAKE.

The contrast offered by the French building, situated in that quarter of the grounds exclusively reserved for foreign nations, is striking. Here too we have grace and charm and elegance, but everything is artistic for art's sake alone, and we experience the feeling of having come from the house of the practical-minded bee into the garden pavilion of some dainty butterfly. Historical tapestries in silk and gold, painted walls and ceilings with nymphs in scanty attire and angelic call-boys blowing trumpets, golden candelabra, buhl cabinets, inlaid tables, and satin-covered chairs, that have belonged to kings and must not now be desecrated even by the touch of common fingers—everything is of the palace and not of the home. The building itself, a reproduction of the Grand Trianon of Versailles, conjures up thoughts of state ceremonies and royal revelries. The dreamer in the past will linger, saddened rather than gladdened, impressed with the quick passing of human pomp and vanities. For the serious student of history there is rare store of material—documents, books, prints, paintings, that have never before left France; while the statuary and the Sevres porcelain will delight every lover of the beautiful. So altogether the building is one that fully rises to the occasion; it reflects the keen rapier-like intellect of the French race, the feverishness of the unalloyed artistic department, the passion for everything that is rich and elegant, the almost cynical avowal that while life lasts the gaieties of life must be enjoyed.

THE ENGLISH BUILDING.

The English building, close to the French building, and, like it, surrounded by old-fashioned gardens of great beauty, is also a historic reproduction. A portion of Kensington Palace, the birthplace and childhood home of Queen Victoria, has been built again in this far land. There is nothing really attractive in the edifice, with its severely plain lines of architecture and its uncompromising brick work of dull red hue. But it possesses a solid, stately dignity not without its charm in a city of palaces that may be visions of beauty, but are none the less mere figments of lath and plaster—architectural soap-bubbles that gleam in the sun today, and will have vanished for ever by tomorrow. Entering the building, we find the same somber effect in the great banqueting hall, all unfurnished and panelled from ceiling to floor in carved oak. Why the Queen's Jubilee presents were not placed in exhibition here is a puzzle to everyone, for the setting would have been appropriate, and a very much required touch of picturesqueness would have been given to the British headquarters.

As it is, there is really very little to see—three or four small rooms furnished in the Elizabethan, Queen Anne, and Georgian styles, with the appropriate furniture, cabinets, clocks, embroideries, pictures, chandeliers, fireplaces, rugs, armors, and weapons of each period. A very brief itinerary indeed lands the visitor outside again at the back of the building, to the contemplation of a typical English bowling green with its long stretch of green turf. There has been something disappointing in the whole show—all the effort and all the money seem to have been put into the solid (but deadly dull) bricks and mortar, and no deep lasting artistic impression is left on the mind as in the case of the French and German buildings. And there has been a depressing pall of frigid reserve over everything—not a chair on which to rest, not a desk for the writing of a letter, not a newspaper in sight, not one touch of hospitable welcome that gives the pleasant suggestion of "home" even to the stately German Castle of Charlottenburg.

COLONIES BREAK FORMALITY.

The beautiful pavilions erected by Canada, India, and Ceylon somewhat redeem the mother country's stilted formality, and afford pleasant places of reunion for Englishmen and their friends. Canada provides a clubhouse pure and simple—equipped with cosy parlors, a beautiful drawing room for the ladies, a spacious writing room for the men, a reading room with all the leading Canadian newspapers, toilet rooms, and best of all a broad and shady veranda where all day long contented crowds swing in rockers, smoke, chat and survey the animated scene around them. The decorations are appropriate and effective—paintings of farm life, frescoes of historical scenes, heads of big game and other trophies of the chase.

Across the way is the Ceylon teahouse, a picturesque reproduction of the famous Bhuddist Temple at Kandy in the center of the island. Here fragrant tea is served by deft-fingered and softly moving Cinghalese "boys," clothed in their native garb of spotless white cotton, with the peculiar tortoise-shell comb confining their long black tresses. On the floor above is a superb display of Ceylon art work and curiosities—richly jeweled caskets of ivory and gold, silver ware, carved cabinets, inlaid tables, hammered brass, tortoise shell ornaments, laces, sacred books of the Bhuddists stenciled on palm leaves, fearsome masks of the devil-dancers, figures of natives in costume, and a hundred other interesting things.

ATTRACTIVE INDIAN HOUSE.

Close by is the Indian house, likewise fitted up primarily as a resting place for tea drinkers, with native servants in attendance, but also enriched and beautified with costly art treasures from the rich and varied stores of Hindustan. On the occasion of my visit I noticed a group of American workmen studying with close attention the teak wood hand carving, a very little bit of which may represent one man's labor for a whole year, and there was both wonder and appreciation in the faces of these observers accustomed only to the whirring lathe and machine-duplicated patterns. This is but one instance of how the exposition is, opening up new vistas of thought, new ideas of artistic achievement, to the workmen of America.

To complete the British group of pavilions a visit must be paid to the Building of Congresses close by, where in an upper hall the Queen's Diamond Jubilee presents will be found, most of them gifts from the crowned heads of Europe and the maharajas of India. The whole collection is not only of great intrinsic value, but it possesses the deep personal interest that will ever cling to the name of Queen Victoria.

All around us in this quarter of the nations are other pavilions. But I must content myself with only brief references to a few of the others. Sweden has an ideal clubhouse—comfortable and restful. Austria with the same motif unites a splendid display of her timbers as applied to house decoration, also photographs and panoramic glimpses of her glorious mountain scenery. Holland's little pavilion is a replica of the home of the famous Dutch master, Rembrandt. The Italian edifice, built on a gentle slope, is a stately palace of elaborate architecture, beautified within by statuary, painting, and stained glass windows.

OTHER EXHIBITIONS ECLIPSED.

Now to follow each country through the exposition palaces proper, and to give anything like an adequate idea of their displays, would be an impossible task. Generally it may be said that in no previous exhibition has such a splendid effort been made by each and all of the nations. Great Britain, especially, quite eclipses the rather half-hearted showing she made at Paris in 1900; in every department, except perhaps in the Palace of Machinery, she is adequately, sometimes admirably, represented. Germany, as always, proves herself superb in the art of exhibiting. No other country has so well grasped the idea of collectivity. Individual firms are suppressed—the nation makes the display as one whole. The result is most effective, when contrasted with the system that prevails elsewhere of each exhibitor having his separate showcase, intended solely to draw attention to his own particular wares. When the visitor to any building comes upon a patch of diversified booths ranged along a floor space like so many glorified Noah's arks, he may know for certain that he is not in the German section.

Both France and England are at last beginning to learn this lesson from Germany. For example, the famous Parisian costumers make a combined exhibit in the Palace of Manufactures, while in the adjoining Palace of Varied Industries the British display collectively decorative textiles and dress fabrics representative of their highest artistic skill. And nothing in either country's series or exhibit draws the crowd so effectively. It is not only the women who throng the luminous room where these latest creations of French dressmaking are shown—veritable dreams of loveliness, and of costliness as well; nor are men absent from the enclosed pavilion where the silks, satins, brocades, laces, and embroideries of England provide a color feast for the eye. The result is that both these great sources of national wealth are brought home to the observer's mind with a force that would have been impossible had the system of individual exhibits been followed. So with the glassware of Austria, and the statuary of Italy; in both cases the effect is massive, and the stimulus to trade must be great and abiding.

SHUN THE GUIDE BOOKS.

Let no man make his progress through these palaces guide book or catalogue in hand. Let him not become the slave of printed pages. Rather let the eye wander free, and at every twenty paces, even though much may be missed, there will be some thing encountered that will specially interest and instruct. If he be a visitor for a day, he cannot hope to see one-hundredth fraction of the marvels displayed. If he have, happily, more time on his hands, he can come again, with the certainty that even on a twentieth visit he will make fresh discoveries in the previously neglected patches of a field of observation so vast and varied. Moreover, every visitor has his or her own individual tastes; no writer can select the things that will appeal to others as the best, or the most beautiful, or the most useful from their personal points of view. Each must seek, and each will find.

Let me illustrate this by two little experiences. My home is in Southern California, so my interest is quickened for things that may have a bearing on interests and projects of the far southwest. Now, here in the British section of the Liberal Arts Building, is an unobtrusive exhibit that at once arrests my eye, although scores of other men go strolling past. It is a screen on which are shown the plans of the Nile reservoir works, with a large-sized model beneath of the great dam recently constructed at Assouan, which is to increase the cultivable area of Egypt by one-third. A similar engineering enterprise is being designed for the Colorado River at Yuma. So these charts, detailed tables of measurements, pictures of works in progress and completed, plans of locks and sluice gates, hold my close and prolonged attention. The names of the men who carried through the great Soudan work happen to be familiar to me, and as I move away I recall a conversation in Cairo two years ago with the chief constructor, Mr. John Blue. He told me that, after repeated trials of men of all nationalities, they had found Italians to be not only the most skilled masons, but also incomparably the best adapted workmen for the desert. At that date no fewer than than 5,000 Italians were employed on the Assouan dam. Now America has a large Italian population, so large as to be almost congested in some of the Eastern States. Their special qualification should not be forgotten when the works on the Colorado River come to be initiated.

The second experience to point my argument occurs in the Palace of Varied Industries. I am in the beautifully designed and superbly furnished German home, consisting of a dozen or more rooms en suite. In one of these the scheme of wall decoration is entirely one of inlaid woods. Scenes of the country and the town, sky and water, pictures of birds and beasts, portraits of individuals, artistic designs in great variety, are produced in such exquisite perfection that at first it is almost impossible to realize that no paint brush has been used—that the sole medium is woods of many kinds, their natural colors and graining being used for every detail of the work. Look closely at this lady in evening costume—the perfectly natural folds of her dress widening from the waist to the foot of the skirt are just the lines of the graining in a thin layer of wood specially selected for the particular effect. And she stands with a mirror in her hand, taking a final survey of her elaborate coiffure—all wood, from the eyebrows to the hair comb. I bethink myself of the beautiful coloring, and the rich variety of our California timbers. Is there not a suggestion here for California wood carvers? Let them come to St. Louis and get a lesson in a comparatively unknown but really marvelous branch of decorative art.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, MAY 31.

Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olsen, five days from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Schooner King Cyrus, Capt. Johnson, fourteen days from Bellingham.

SAILED—TUESDAY, MAY 31.

U.S.S. Wyoming, for Santa Barbara.
U.S.S. Preble, for Santa Barbara.
U.S.S. Paul Jones, for Santa Barbara.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

TUESDAY, MAY 31.

Steamer Santa Monica, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Shasta, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Mandalay, Southern Pacific wharf.
Steamer Coquille River, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
British bark Hawthornbank, S. P. L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.
Bark Hesper, South. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner James Ralph, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Charles E. Falk, Ganahl L. Co. wharf.
Schooner William H. Smith, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Nokomis, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Taurus, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Annie Larsen, Southern Pac. wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Dauntless, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Bainbridge, L. W. Blinn L. Co. wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Bonita, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer James H. Higgins, from San Francisco.
Steamer Prentiss, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Westport, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Olympic, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.
Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer South Coast, from Caspar, via San Francisco.
Schooner William Renton, from Bellingham.
Schooner Alice McDonald, from Portland.
Schooner Charles R. Wilson, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Winslow, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dohlbeer, from Eureka.
Schooner Salem, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Mary Dolge, from Eureka.
Schooner Muriel, from Aberdeen.
Schooner William Olsen, from Everett.
Schooner King Cyrus, from Bellingham.
Schooner S. T. Alexander, from Tacoma.
Schooner Manila, from Portland.
Schooner A. F. Coats, from Astoria.
Schooner Dora Blumm, from Eureka.
Schooner A. M. Baxter, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Rangar, from Port Townsend.
Schooner Ethel Zane, from Port Townsend.
Schooner Portland, from Portland.
Schooner Albert Meyer, from Ballard.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 120 days.
German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, out 65 days.

TO LEAVE—WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1.

Steamer Coquille River, Capt. Hansen, for San Francisco.
Bark Hesper, Capt. Svenson, for Tacoma, in ballast.

THURSDAY, June 2—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Mandalay, for San Francisco.
FRIDAY, June 3—Steamer Shasta, Capt. Hansen, for Bellingham, via San Francisco.
Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olsen, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
TUESDAY, June 7—Steamer Coos Bay, for San Francisco and way ports.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Coos Bay, San Francisco.
Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Brunswick, Fort Bragg.
Steamer Chehalis, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Aberdeen, Astoria.
Barkentine John C. Meyer, Seattle.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.
Schooner Spokane, Fort Gamble.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.
Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner J. H. Coleman, Anacortes.
Schooner Marion, Aberdeen.
Schooner Olga, Eureka.
Schooner Watson A. West, Aberdeen.
Schooner Soquel, Port Townsend.
Schooner Eureka, Winslow.
Schooner Philippine, Tacoma.
Schooner Oceanic Vance, Port Townsend.
Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Eureka.
Schooner Comet, Aberdeen.
Schooner Coos Bay, South Bend.
Schooner Zampa, Astoria.
Schooner Challenge, Port Hadlock.
Schooner R. C. Slade, Aberdeen.
Schooner E. Reddell, Aberdeen.
Schooner G. M. Watson, Portland.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, MAY 31.

Launch J. C. Elliott, from Long Beach, with pleasure party.
Launch Fashion, from Long Beach, with passengers.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mascolo, from Catalina Island, with 800 pounds barracuda.
Launch Vittoria, Capt. Falconi, from Catalina, with 600 pounds barracuda.
Launch Borelich, Capt. Borelich, from Catalina, with 1500 pounds barracuda.

SAILED.

Schooner Brothers, for Clemente Island.
Launch Leone, Capt. Svenson, for Ocean Park.
Launch Hyder, for Alamitos Bay.
Launch J. C. Elliott, for Long Beach.
Launch Fashion, for Long Beach.
Fifteen sailboats for fishing banks, and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday,	June 1	12:16 p.m.	5:25 a.m.
		10:56 p.m.	4:32 p.m.
Thursday,	" 2	1:10 p.m.	6:04 a.m.
		11:55 p.m.	5:24 p.m.
Friday,	" 3	2:10 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
			6:41 p.m.
Saturday,	" 4	0:18 a.m.	7:27 a.m.
		3:04 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
Sunday,	" 5	1:05 a.m.	8:10 a.m.
		3:48 p.m.	9:51 p.m.
Monday,	" 6	2:00 a.m.	8:54 a.m.
		4:28 p.m.	10:59 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 7	2:44 a.m.	9:47 a.m.
		5:08 p.m.	11:57 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 12 miles.

The schooner Irene finished loading a lumber cargo at Portland and sailed yesterday for this port.

The schooner Albert Meyer sailed yesterday from Ballard with a lumber cargo consigned to wholesalers at this port.

The freight and passenger steamer Bonita is scheduled to clear today from San Francisco for San Pedro and way ports with 200 tons of merchandise consigned to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

A number of changes are being made among the captains of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's fleet. Capt. Thomas, who has been in command of the State of California for a number of years, has been assigned to the command of the Spokane. He will probably be succeeded by Capt. Nicholson of the Coos Bay, and Capt. Preble, formerly chief officer of the Spokane, will assume command of the Coos Bay. Capt. Gleboe will take the Corona.

The steamer Santa Monica arrived today from Gray's Harbor with 240,000 feet of lumber consigned to the San Pedro Lumber Company.

The U.S.S. Wyoming, Preble and Paul Jones departed today, bound north. It is stated that a stop will be made at Santa Barbara on the way to San Francisco.

Boys' 50c Wool Sweaters 19c

Plain colorings and fancy stripes; have turtle necks and wrists. Size 18 only for children 3 and 4 years. Wednesday on bargain table..... 19c

BARGAIN TABLE.

Hamburger's
MAYEST PLACE TO TRADE [INC.]
127 to 147 N. Spring St. Los Angeles

40c Mercerized Waistings 15c

Fancy striped mercerized waistings in pink, blue and champagne stripes on white Panama ground, 32 in. wide, Wednesday, on bargain table, per yd. .. 15c

BARGAIN TABLE.

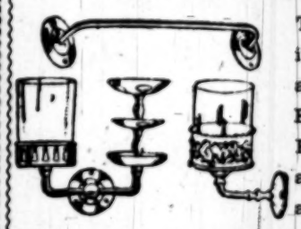
COMPETITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE

Facts for Los Angeleans Who Think

Competition must be honest, open and legitimate. Every successful merchant has imitators. The marvelous growth of Hamburgers and its methods are examples to every merchant of what pluck and plod will do. Our principles of honesty and liberality have been our success. Imitators who "fake" the public may succeed until they are found out; but they never grow lastingly. On the contrary, when once uncovered, they are "everlastingly" condemned. The merchant who holds a *"Sweetser, Pembroke" Sale* in Los Angeles before the auction sale of the Sweetser, Pembroke stock is over in New York, can hardly impress his customers with a genuine effort at honest merchandising. There will be thousands of misnamed merchants holding Sweetser, Pembroke sales all over the country who never patronized that firm or bought one dollar's worth of merchandise at this sale.

One of our leading "would be" competitors, bidding on furnishing window shades for a large building, not being able to meet our prices, told the owner that Hamburgers used seconds—and yet they claim to be honest competitors. *WE HAVE NO COMPETITORS.* With the members of this firm scattered throughout Europe and the Orient and with entree to mills all over the world; we sell the most of our goods at prices that others would pay for them at wholesale; and the fact that way down in the "dead corner" of the town, we sell more merchandise for cash than any two of the largest retail merchants in the city combined—proves our statement and the magnetism of our merchandising.

Bathroom Fixtures and Necessities



The expression that "Cleanliness is next to Godliness," is without doubt very trite, but it is an actual fact that the majority of people have a care for personal cleanliness and any appliance that adds comfort or convenience to the bath is very much appreciated. Exclusive stores charge much higher prices than the merchandise is intrinsically worth. Here department store prices rule and we can sell you the same goods at very much less as the following items in bath and bath room fixtures and such ordinary things as towels and brushes will attest.

Shower Bath Ring—12 inch; heavy nickel plated on brass; has 6 feet of rubber tubing and is adjustable to any size faucet. Price..... $1.95

Bath Tub Seat—choice of either canvas or white enameled, with rubber ends. Price..... $1.69

Hanging Wall Soap Dish—heavily nickel plated on brass. Is very low priced at... 60c

Round Soap Dish—for the bath room wash stand; has removable drainer. Price..... 60c

Bath Tub Soap Containers—is extra well finished; has two bands to hang over the wash tub. Price..... $1.25

Soap and Sponge Holder—combination with bands for bath tub. Price..... $1.50

Towel Bars—all lengths; are heavily plated on brass. For Wednesday the 15 inch size at..... 45c

Match Holder—extra well finished; has two compartments. Specially priced..... $1.29

Toilet Paper Holder—has wood roller with nickel ends and nickel plated back. Price..... 75c

Whisk Broom Holders—neatly finished; nickel plated on brass. Price..... 60c

Tumbler Holders—with wire and plate back and screws. Price..... 50c

Combination Tumbler and Tooth Brush Holder—together with a thin blown tumbler. Price..... $1.50

17-Inch Towel Bars—Smooth finished; nickel plated on brass and an extra value at 25c

Sponge Holder—of wire; nicely nickel plated for bath tub uses..... 69c

Towel Holder—has two 5-inch wire nickel plated rings fastened to plate back. Price..... 19c

Tooth Brush Holder—neatly finished; nickel plated; will hold three brushes. Price..... 15c

FOURTH FLOOR.

Bath Brushes.

Bath Brushes—best rubber bath brush with strap handle. Regular price $1.00. Specially priced..... 75c

Russian Bristle Bath Brushes—solid wood back; has strap and detachable handle; regular value 75c. Special..... 50c

Bristle Bath Brush—good quality; furnished with handle; regular price 35c. Special. 25c

MAIN FLOOR.

Bath and Bath-room Towels.

Plain White Huck Towels—hemmed ends; size 20x38 inches; is made for wear and is especially recommended for hotel and family uses. Price, each..... 15c

Hemmed Huck Towels—plain white with Damask border; is very sightly as well as serviceable. Size 23x42 inches. Price, each..... 25c

Unbleached Bath Towel—heavy double loop; very absorbent; will wear and wash nicely; size 24x40 inches. Price, each.. 15c

Half Bleached Bath Towel—our "Giant" size; 27x63 inches; is made double loop and is extra heavy. Price, each 25c

Rubbing Towels—assorted sizes and can not be equaled for either absorbent or wearing qualities. Prices as follows:

24x46 inch towels at, each, 35c
24x48 inch towels at, each, 50c
24x44 inch towels at, each, 65c

Half Bleached Bath Towels—of good grade imported linen; size 23 x 54 inches. An exceptional towel for wear and reasonably priced at..... 75c

Bath Mats—these are 23 x 36 inch size; are very absorbent and very serviceable. Price, each..... 60c

Continuation Summer Book Sale

If you are at all literary inclined, you delight in having a few at least of the best books by the best authors. The old standard editions are exceptionally well bound and while there has never been any expurgating of matter there has been a material reduction in price and you can fill your libraries with the very choicest of literature at prices that were formerly charged for the binding alone. As to the modern fiction, we undersell all exclusive book stores and any book that is published at $1.50 we sell at $1.18. Among the many good offers for this week we specially direct your attention to the following:

Small Handy Books.

Webster's Dictionary—pocket size; cloth bound; regular price 25c. Sale price..... 10c

Conklin's New Handy Manual of Useful Information and Atlas of the World—regular price 25c. Sale price..... 19c

Robert's Rules of Order—for deliberative assemblies; regular price 75c. Sale price..... 60c

Webster's Vest Pocket Dictionary—leather bound; regular price 35c. Sale price..... 25c

Vest Pocket Foreign Dictionary—either Spanish—English or English—Spanish; regular price 35c. Sale price..... 25c

Perfect Ready Reckoner and Useful Assistant—regular price 25c; sale price..... 10c

Important Events—a book of dates on literary, scientific and useful subjects; regular price 75c. Sale price..... 45c

Edison's Handy Encyclopedia and Book of General Information—published to sell at 25c. Sale price..... 19c

Twentieth Century Britannica—a book containing over fifteen thousand items of the most useful facts; regular price 50c. Sale price..... 39c

Facts I Ought to Know About the Government of My Country—very handy for all high school boys and girls; regular price 75c. Sale price..... 45c

Salva Webster Dictionario—Spanish-English; regular price 35c. Sale price..... 25c

The Mechanical Arts Simplified—a book compiled and edited by Dickson; regular price $2.50. Sale price..... $1.50

What Sense or Economic Nutrition, by Horace Fletcher—regular price 75c. Sale price..... 39c

Whitelaws' Improved Interest Tables and Charts—regular price 50c. Sale price..... 39c

Dictionary of Mythology and Antiquities—by McGovern; regular price 50c. Sale price 25c

English-Chinese Phrase Book—regular price $2.50. Sale price..... $1.98

Cloth Bound Books

Standard Books—more than 100 titles to select from; regular price 25c. Sale price..... 15c

Copyright Novels—up-to-date and many of them are the favorite books that have been selling at $1.18. Priced for sale at, choice..... 58c

Catholic Prayer Books—bound in fine leather; have gold edges; regular price $1.00. Sale price..... 45c

Waverly Novels—Scott's complete works in 12 volumes; regular price $7.50. Price complete..... $4.75

Paper Novels—all the favorites—100 titles to select from. Regular price 10c. Sale price..... 5c

"The Green Satin Gown"—by Laura E. Richards; her latest book for girls; regular price $1.25. Sale price..... 75c

Werner's Universal Encyclopedia—12 large volumes; cloth bound; regular price $20.00. Sale price..... $10.00

Up-To-Date Fiction—some of the very best of the popular books and sold regularly at $1.18. Priced for this sale at.... 79c

Partial list of titles:
Lady Rose's Daughter. Brewster's Millions. Glengary School Days. Marjorie; and others.

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Highwayman: Hands up! Hands up! I. M. P. Cunius: Too late, old chap. The instalment man beat you by just

UNFORTUNATE.

She: I am very sorry, but circumstances over which I have no control make me refuse to be your wife.
He: What are they?
She: Yours.

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